EDUCATING HORSES FOR WAR.

of the World.

From the earliest times the horse

to-day his education is a delicate and

serious matter, undertaken at great expense by all the nations of the

world, says a writer in the Circle Max-

asine. Germany needs a million horse

for cavalry and artillery to put her

quires probably 750,000, and ever

Great Britain has ficeded as many as

230,000—in her serious predicament in

South Africa while she was fighting

Although England in peace time

mounts only two-thirds of her cavalry,

her horse bill amounts to about \$400,

000 a year—a figure which may be

multiplied by four or five for the Ger

man army. In most countries omni-

bus, farm and domestic horses are reg-

istered as being available in time of

war for miscellaneous service, and for this anything from \$30,000 to \$150,000

a year may be paid by a military na-

France spends upward of \$600.000

year on horses for her great armies. As a general rule, the recruits are

WOULD BAR THE WEALTHY.

Woman Ascetic Goes to Extremes in

Her Doctrines.

Whatever may be said about wom-

an's love of clothes and display, your

only true ascetic is a woman. Miss

proof of this fact. A few days ago

she addressed the Woman's club at

Chautaugus, N. Y., and even in that

snot, where the promulgation of a new doctrine is as common as the

breathing of the air, she made her hearers gasp. Evidently Miss Bortle

accepts literally the parable of the

rich man being in the same predica

nent as the camel which would pas

through the needle's eye, for she said:

"I should like to build elegant churches in the slums, but I would

put up a large bulletin board in front

diamonds shall enter this church. No

automobiles shall stop at this church

No one who rides in a carriage shall

stop or enter this church. Only those

who walk or ride in a street car are

Dog's Ashes Preserved in an Urn.

A Philadelphia young woman, the

tle for terrier, who, until he died, was

keeping fresh the memory of her little

his mistress summoned at once a vet-

erinarian, who did everything possible

to save the animal but all to no pur

woman was disconsolate and eaverly

ants, and the ashes, after the cere-mony, were incased in a handsome

bronze vase, which now rests on a

woman. Beside the urn stands the

picture of the little dog, taken when

he was standing at attention at the

An Explanation.

youthful physician in that city, and when the diagnosis had been made

and the prescription written out, he

"Three dollars," said the young

Whereupon the caller produced a

ten-dollar gold piece, which he proffer-

ed the doctor in payment of his fee,

The physician looked annoyed.

"Nothing smaller, except a two-dol-

"Then give me that," said the doc-

piece I shall be out seven dollars. I

have promised my wife that all gold shall be hers that I take in the way

Circuit Through Horses' Bodies.

Startling as some of the recent de-

relonments in the field of communi

cation by means of electricity have

been, none is more unique and unex-

his system it is possible for a cavair

officer at headquarters to communi-

cate with a scouting party on a gal-lop, recalling them or changing the or-

dors as expedient.—Popular Mechinics.

The Goose and the Telephone.

to an official report, a telephone line

is being constructed, under an agree-

ment entered into by the government

with the Falkland Islands company,

hatween Stanley and the company's

station at Darwin. The upland goose

has proved to be a source of trouble

in carrying out the work, the force with which the bird, in the course of

its flight, sometimes strikes the wire, being sufficient to to break it.

"I can't keep track of my cought on

"Are they moving in and out"

at all, any more.

In the Falkland islands, according

"If I take the ten-dollar gold

asked what fee was expected.

lar bill." said the patient.

Buffalo man recently consulted a

table in the drawing room of

command of his mistress.

entitled to a seat in this house."

five years old and cost \$200 each.

the Boers.

a potent factor in war, and

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN, SEP. 19, 1907.

Crawford County Directory. COUNTY OFFICERS

Village Officers.

Society Meetings. Methodist Episcopal Church. antor Rev. E. W. Frasce. Preacting, Io 30 2.m. and 7, 50 p. m. Class meeting, Io a. m., Sabbath school 12 m. Epsowih League, 6,30 p. M. Jonior League, 3,45 p. m. Tucaday. Prayer Besting, 7,40 p. m. Turaday.

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HAD USE FOR THE OIL. Workmen Found It Good for Other us Suma Spent by the Nations Things Besides Medicine.

Come wears ago a railway was he ing made in the west of Scotland, and it was arranged that each of the numerous navvies employed should pay 1d. per week to a medical practition er, so that they might have his services in the event of accident, or medi-

cine in the case of illness. During the summer and autumn either illness nor accident occurred. But when a severe winter followed all at once the "navigators" began to call on the doctor for castor oil.

Each brought his bottle, into which an ounce was poured, until the oil was exhausted, and the doctor was forced to send to town for a further

When that, too, was getting low, the doctor one day quietly asked a healthy looking fellow what was wrong with the men that they required so much

castor oil.
"Nothing wrong at all, doctor," he replied, "but we grease our big boots with it."—London Tit-Bits.

LESS NEED TO WORK HARD.

New Methods Have Lightened House hold Cares for Women.

Why should we worry over our

household work, as the grandmothers of the long ago had to do? We no longer sweep clouds of dust up into the air to lodge upon the walls and settle on our draperies; we know better. We use a method which car-ries the dust to a closed receptable or

Martha Bortle, preacher and club woman of Washington, is the latest prevents it from rising. We dust with damp cloths. We no longer scrub floors upon bended knees, we use boiling, soapy water, and let the hot water do the work, wringing the cloth with the mop wringer attached to the pall. We wash clothes with a machine; kneed bread with a mixer; iron flat clothes with a mangle and starched ones with special irons

We do many things better and easier, from window washing to cooking; and in it all and through it all, we do things in a more cleanly manner, and to the degree that we do, life becomes more and more livable and housekeep ing a greater joy.

The Weaning of a Baby Seal. Hundreds of visitors at the aquarium the other day saw a novel sight when Edith, a baby seal, was graduated from home nursing on a bottle and partook of her first medi of fish, says the New York Herald. The little rmer mistress of an intelligent litseal, now about six months old, arrived from Boothbay harbor, where the pet of an entire neighborhood, has hit upon a most unusual method of she had been captured in a fish weir by a Maine fisherman. She was a pet of the children of Boothbay har-bor until her owner gave her to the When the dog was taken sick

aquarium. Mr. Spencer, superintendent of the aquarium, fed-her a handful of killies, which were quickly swallowed, much to the delight of a crowd of children selzed upon a suggestion made half in jest by a friend that she have the reand adults. When a single herring such as the other seals toss off at a mains cremated. The doctor was dele-gated to secure the services of assistgulp, was offered, the baby seal carefully held it between her filppers while eating it.

Swimmer's "Cramps." "You often hear of people dying from cramps while in swimming," said fames D. Rose of Martin, Tenn. "Peo ple don't die from cramps while in The water gets in the ears, floods the ear drum, and causes the nerves leading to the brain to become paralyzed. This naturally forces other vital nerves to cease performing their duty, and the result is death. If people who go in swimming would put cotton in their ears the number of deaths from 'cramps' would be much maller. This information was imparted to me several years ago by an old German physician in the mountains, and who was an intelligent but queer individual. Whenever I go in swim-"Haven't you anything smaller?" he asked plaintively. ming I always put cotton in my cars, and I'm never afraid of having cramps."

Desiring and Attaining. Between desire and attaining, all human life flows on throughout. The wish is, in its nature, pain; the attain-ment soon begets satisty, the end was only apparent; possession takes away the charm; the wish, the need, presents itself under a new form, when it does not, then follow desolateness, emptiness, ennul-against which the conflict is just as painful as against That wish and satisfaction want. pected than that recently perfected should follow each other neither too by First Lieut. A. C. Knowles of the quickly nor too slowly, reduces the smallest amount of suffering United States army, in which he uses both occasion, and constitutes the hanthe bodies of living cavalry horses as a part of his telegraph circuit. By plest life.—Arthur Schopenhauer.

> Willing to Oblige. "I am tired of these predictions and promises of a great epochal change in favor of the people," murmured the fair girl with social theories for her latest fad. "I want to see the great so-

> cial cataclysm act." "I haven't heard much about "" sold her practical young man, doubtfully, "but," brightening up, "if it's booked in vaudeville here this seeson, I'll take you."

Joining in the Game. "What's all this racket about, boys?"

"Nothin pa only we're playing this is the arctle regions, and I was just hittin Jack because be's a vessel and I'm the iceberg, and he won't let me wreck him." complained that our pl
"Is that so? Well, I'll take a hand go around fast enough?

'No, but my friend, Mrs. Gadabout, and go on a little whaling expedition."

TOWED BY A TURTLE

Turned the Tables on His Would-Be Captor.

William Genung, a Pennsylvania railroad fireman, went fishing at Se-waren, on Staten island. He caught 52 weakfish, and on account of luck being good he concluded to try for a turtle. "Bill" didn't figure, however. that he was going to get a big fellow on his line, so he used a small hook. Directly, says the dispatch from "Bill's" home at Elisabeth, N. J., he felt something tugging at his line. "Bill" wanted it if it was a turtle, and he wanted it badly, so he wrapped his line tightly about his arm. Then there was a something like what "Bill" called a sudden jerk, but it wasn't. It was just a plain pull. But there was strength back of it and in an instant "Bill" was jerked out of his boat and into the water. The 52 fish went with

When "Bill" fell into the water his feet got caught in the line and pretty soon he was being towed out to sea by a monster turtle. He was so en-tangled that all his efforts to extricate himself proved futile and only his skill as a swimmer kept him affort. For several hundred yards he was towed, and he was getting tired out, when his cries attracted two other fishermen, George Clemons and Wil-liam Senby, who cut the line and carried Genung ashore in a rowboat.

FELT DANGER AT HAND.

German Savant Tella of Experience li Earthquake Country.

Hans Doring writes of a singular ex perience in an earthquake while tray eling in the desert of Gobi: "I had just dropped off to sleep, when I woke up with a feeling of great anxiety which I could not explain other than that I had a presentiment that some great danger was impending. It was explained soon enough. All of a sud-den, while I was still wondering whence my sudden fear came. I heard a loud noise beneath the ground which sound ed as if a subterranean express was approaching. Nearer and nearer it came and before I could get off the bed pound and the whole hamlet were shaken by an earthquake. I the that my last hour had come and exsected to see the walls collapse. The rafters of the roof rattled on the seams and the whole house shook. If the house had been higher it would have collapsed, but the walls, not quite ten feet high, are built of mud with an elastic framework of wood to carry the roof. It appears that these houses are built to re det earthquakes their simplicity and elasticity saving them from destruction."

Liseful Oklahoma.

For the novelties which it had the courage to put into its new constitution Oklahoma deserves better treat-ment than the ridicule of those who

Soon we shall know how works in ractice the often-advocated plan of letting a three-fourths vote of a jury constitute a verdict. England just now is well convinced that the initiative to adopt it because the whole of the country, or none, must undergo the experiment. For the United States experience of Oklahoma will soon furnish a guide as to just how the general principle must be altered and adapted to be made practical.—Collier's Weekly.

An Idea "An idea," said a fat man, "for the makers of underwear or socks, draw-ers and undershirts. Why do they put the thickest seams and knots and roughnesses inside, next the sensitive skin, instead of outside, where they

"Have you not often had your underwear prick you, the knots bruise you, the seams set up an litching? Well, all that could be abolished. The inside of underwear should be turned

"Looks is the only possible object tion to my idea. But, after all, in underwear, which is invisible, comfort

Time to Wake Up.

A friend of mine has a little girl four years old, who has acquired the habit of calling her mother and father by or "papa." The child eleeps, in a crib besides her parents and is wide awake every morning when her mother wakes father telling him it's time to go to business, the six o'clock whistle has blown, says writer in an eastern magazine. One morning the child heard the whistle but the mother did not, and after waiting a short time baby put her hand through the bars of her crib and pulling the father's arm cried: "Get up, Jack, the whistle blowed."

Electrio Aneathesia.

Electric sleep, or anesthesia, produced by the action on the brain of intermittent electric currents of low voltage, has been a subject of special study for several years by Prof. Stephanie Leduc of Nantes and others. The application has been perfected until it is practicable to put dogs and rabbits quickly into a calm and regular sleep, with general and complete anesthesia.—Mectricity.

Wanted More Speed. I'm Style--Who was that fellow who complained that our pinwheels didn't

EXPLORING THE UPPER AIR. Scientists Have a Great Deal to Learn on This Subject Plainly, electricity has a great deal

to do with the mechanism of storms. For this and other reasons the stor of it in the atmosphere interests in high degree the expert mateorolo-gist, and it is not surprising that the weather bureau should contemplate an exhaustive investigation of the subject. What-it would like to know, to begin with—is a lightning flash? Whence does it come, and how is it generated? Do storm clouds serve as gigantic storage batteries? And does the electricity have anything to do

Nobody can answer any of the questions. It is believed that a light-ning flash has an extremely high voltage, with a low amperage; in other words, that it contains only a small amount of electricity at high pressure

But there is no certainty about it. The weather bureau man sends up scientific box kite with the help of windiass, from a hill top, using plano wire in place of a string. Storm clouds come up and electricity begins to descend the wire, throwing off-formidable sparks. It is interesting in fact, it might even be dangerous but it conveys no information.—Rene

WHY WOMEN ARE NERVOUS. Austrian Surgeon Ascribes It to Incom

"No wonder your women are ner vous," remarked Dr. Joseph Garsouks. noted Austrian surgeon, to a news paper representtative the other day And he added: "Such positions as they assume while sitting is to my mind sufficient to underwine their nerv health.

According to Dr. Garzouka the prac tice of crossing the knees, which he specially condemns, is peculiarly Amer ican. He declares that in no country on the continent can young women be seen in public with one leg crossed over the other, and he is astounded at the prevalence of the habit here.

In his home country, the physician-who is touring the world in the interest of science-says, the women sit up things: they do not like rocking chairs. He notices that American women seem to like nothing but easy, lounging chairs, and he deplores their habit of slouching down in them with their legs crossed in such a manner as to bring too much pressure on the spine.

Well Named Smoky City. Pittsburg, the second city in size days that a traveler to the west, whe lack of supply in so great abu a return to former conditions, and now the name Smoky City adheres more firmly than ever to the place.

Found Nail in His Skull. the Williamsburg bridge. The sur-geon came across a hard substance imbedded in the skull and a closer examination disclosed it to be the head of a nail. It proved to he a nail

ter, and was nearly drowned before hauled ashore.

Unfortunate Comparison One of the most charming writers in one of the most prominent newspapers, speaking of the hereditary but improving big feet of American girls, ventures the prediction that it will be many years "before our girls come up to the standard of the Venus of Milo in that respect." It would be interesting to know what the standard of the Venus of Milo is in regard to hands. The original sculpture is in the Louvro, but it is sans bands and sans arms, and all attempts at the vandalism of "restoration" have been most fortunately resisted.

Enlightened Eastern Potentate.

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in Pennsylvania, which was named in bonor of the prime minister of England, after Fort Duquesne, built on apot by the French, had been captured by the English in 1768, derived the name of Smoky City from the immense consumption of soft coal, due to the great-iron and steel industries centered there. It is told in the old he passed through Pittsburg, sup posed that he had gone through a long tunnel in the Alleghenies. There was much relief from the smoky condi-tions for a period when natural gas was used in the city furnaces, but the of its use in place of soft coal led to

A remarkable discovery was made by the surgeons of Williamsburg hospital while they were operating on the skull of William V. Albright, who fell from the elevated structure being erected across the Brooklyn plass of

fully three inches long, which had penetrated the brain. The associates of Albright say he has had a remarkable career since he became an iron worker. He has had several 30 and 40 feet falls, and one 87-foot fall from a New Liverpool bridge. One time he fell 100 feet from a bridge in Pennsylvania into the wa

est fashion, with a keen eye, and possessing a charming manner and delightful personality which sets those in less exalted station at cast, speaking English perfectly, but with a captivating accent, the king of Slam is one of the most intelligent and enlightened of oriental potentates. His desire is to see his country progress, educated at Eton and the University TAYE WE BEEN UNJUST TO KOREA!

T. B. Hulbert, Former Adviser Emperor of Korea. Japan will bear watching. Those not intimately and correctly informed as to the feeling in that country cannot appreciate the imrtance Japan attaches to itself.

Japan is flushed with pride over her achieve-ments against Russia. She believes she can do anything. She doubts not an instant that the r powers, even the United States, are afraid of her. She thinks she has accomplished in forty years in the way of civilination what it took us 1,000 years to achieve. Her vanity is fearful to

Napoleon Bonaparte was the personification of the present feeling in Japan. Like him, she took advantage of an enemy's weakness and was successful in it. Intoxicated by that early success, she firmly believes there is no

limit to her power.

But it should be distinctly understood now that the time is coming when the powers will have to units, as they did against Napoleon, to check Japan's rapacious career and give her her proper place among nations.

History will write this country's part in the spoliation of Korea by Japan in terms of which we will not be proud. There is no question that at Portsmouth Ja-pan was offered a free hand in Konsa in exchange for the waiver of indemnity from Russia. This comes from

#### DEVELOP HOME SPIRIT.

By Juliet V. Stram The individuality of the home is a thing in egard to which it pays to be selfish. There is a certain spirit that dwells in quiet rooms, which, when once driven away, will never re Too many strange faces will drive her way, too much absence will banish her. Once you have lost her—the sweet home

where in pleasures and palaces will you find her again. But she will haunt you. and in the long years, when pleasure no longer allures, when ambition is dead, and the haubles of life for which you left her have vanished in thin air, you will see her mocking shadow, but never again feel her soft caress, as you used to know it in quiet days by the old home fire-

No earthly pleasure is so genuine as home; yet it is reproach in these days of false pleasures to be a "home body." In this respect the people of old Virginia were the most enviable in the world. Though visiting was a matter of daily occurrence, home was the passion of every

Home might be a tumbledown house, floors might be bare, and every evidence of departed glory greet the the absence of any essential to comfort, nor an intima-tion that the home of his friend might be improved from a worldly point of view. The hateur with which such a would have been received would have wilted the most aggressive advocate of progress.

And truly when one sat at the fireside of these people, and saw the self-satisfied countenances of the old folks at home and heard their intelligent converse, he was constrained to admire and envy the spirit of pride in which the Virginia gentleman's family believed in them selves, in their home and their surroundings, and would not have changed them for a kingdom.

Let us, then, again suggest the exaltation of the in-

ONIONS AND EGGS JOIN UNION.

ated-All Must Bear Label.

satoes and Peas Likewise Affili-

Garden truck bearing union labels

the latest thing proposed in New

burg. N. Y. Farmers in that vicinity

have organized and asked for affiliation

with the Central Labor Union, says the

The only rock in the nath of the

brand-new idea is whether a union

tabel can be affixed to vegetables. If farmers can overcome this difficulty

they will be welcomed by the labor

unions and walking delegates will in-

clude kitchen inspection among their

The farmers recently met at Sears

ville and formed the Orange County

Union. Their idea is to cut out the

middleman's profits and sell directly to

consumers. For some years exactions

and profits to tillers of the soil have

been cut. The plan is to form a com-

pany composed exclusively of members of the union to operate a large excomposed exclusively of members

with the people, selling union potatoes,

all kinds slightly below present non

the labor interests the farmers have

Union men in Newburg are enthusias-

tic over the project and say they will

need no compulsion to purchase union

vegetables if the prices are lower. It

is acknowledged, however, that the

question of how to place union labels

on goods is perplexing, and unless solv-

ed may keep the farmers outside the

The Nation of Shopkeepers,

We are a nation of shop-

There is nothing in the shop

e are not ready to sell at a price,

the London Saturday Review.

if we could get a good enough offer

Mr. Pierpont Morgan: Shak-

irioms, only given a fat enough

money to buy them. We can put

his forbears.

we are happy to part with to

foreign nation that has the taste

follos, first editions of Walton, portraits of Reynolds, of Rom-

mecotash can be labeled.

reastworks of organized labor.

It is maintained by some persons that

vegetable must be stamped.

natoes, cabbage and garden truck of

on prices. To secure co-operation of

to join the Central Labor Union.

commission merchants have grown

New York World.

dividual life, or perhaps it would be more frank to say the selfish life; for it is the belief of a very respectable minority that progress does not come by mass meetings, or societies, or organizations, but by homes, for which dovoted and—yes—selfish families are contentedly working. A home is about all that one woman can care for, One family is a fair amount of responsibility for one man. The more you mix outside interests with the interests of the home, the more you destroy domesticity. Home makes good soldiers, good lawmakers, good citizers. The vagrant life of those who merely eat and sleep at home, whose lives are full of petty social or political interests, is not calculated to insure a stuble sturdy race of people in coming generations.

RURAL SCHOOL AS A SOCIAL CENTER By President K. L. Butterfield, Massachusetts Agricultural College.

The school must offer vocational training. This does not mean that every school shall be a trade school. It does not even mean that the school shall aim specifically to teach trades. It does mean, however, that we will come to realise that the schools in preparing the pupils for complete living, must bear in mind the fact that vocation is a large part of

Consequently vocational training in its broadest possible aspects must be one of the largest phases of school activity. This may not mean the introduction of elementary agriculture into all the rural schools, but it will mean the utilisation of agricultural material in the training of the pupil, so that if he enters the agricultural vom he will be adequately prepared for it.

The school must also develop the spirit of locial or ommunity service. I know of nothing better in this line than the plan used in Maine of organizing school im-

It is desirable also for the school to become a social center, or at least one of the social centers, of the neighborhood. The school ought to play a large part in the life of the mature people of the community; and it may well act as a rallying center for the educational interests of adults as well as of children.

The school must definitely co-operate with other institutions of the community, such as the church, the grange, mprovement societies, library, etc. In this connection there should be frequent joint meetings of teachers and patrons for the discussion both of school topics and of subjects of general community interest.

#### THE EDUCATED MAN WINS.

By King Edward VII. The competition in every branch of industry, especially in those branches which depend largely on science and art, is in these days severe, and it must be met by increased application and improved methods. The world is, I believe, better for such competition, but it behooves individual nations to use every possible effort to hold their own in the struggle. For this purpose higher education is an absolute necessity. However brilliant a man's natural talents may be, he is greatly bludered by the want of early training, and as a rule only those who have enjoyed a good education are capable of acquiring such profiin any branch of study as will enable them to

BEST RIFLE SHOT IN THE ARMY.



POLICEMAN C. J. L. SUNDBERG. SERGT. N. A. BERG. Signal honor has come to Sergeant N. A. Berg, company E. Second Washington infantry, of North Yakina, Wash. Berg, after a brilliant contest, won the President's match at the great national tournament, defeating the best military rifle shots in the United States. In addition, he got the best skirmish score in the President's match, taking seventh prize as well as first, in the aggregate. He is also a member of the team that won the national regimental

Berg is a farmer and prefers bull's-eye shooting to wild game hunting. He entered the national shoots three years ago and made the first team from Washington his first year out. Berg will receive a handsome decoration and an autograph letter from President Roosevelt for his skill.

ian C. J. L. Sandberg, of Jamestown, N. Y., set a new world's record with a police revolver, acoring 4,600 out of a possible 5,000 at 50 yards.

#### EVERYTHING FRESH. ----

skirmish match.

Thereupon critics ask how it will be Nothing ever daunted the agent for saidble to label ripe tomatoes without musshing them. Others say it will not do merely to label pen pods, but that genial welcome as was bestowed on a rule, in quite such a hurry as pr each separate pea must reecive its cerhim by Mr. Eben Saunders when he appeared to be." tificate of character. This would also was wakened from his afternoon doze create work for the unemployed. Then on the plazza by a loud cough, there has arisen the problem of how

The cough was close to his ear, but as soon as it had done its work the When it comes to eggs, some of the agent for Henderson's Handy Hen's labor men say it may be necessary to de hens in the union. If this be rocking-chair at a little distance from dene the question of keeping them from working overtime and the matter of his victim.

"Fine day!" he said in a loud tone. surprised at the slow smile which over sprend the face of his host.

"Prime!" faid Mr. Saunders, with unction. "I never saw a better," Napoleon must have been right

"Never knew unything much fresher than the air you get up on this bill." continued the agent, as he swung one of the Handy Hen's Nests into view. "We got most every fresh up here," sald Mr. Saunders, tranquilly. "Now there's paint-what's on that chair you plumped down into in such a hurry isn't more than three hours old, if it's that. You'd 've noticed it if you hadn't been in considuable baste, but I wouldn't try to get out of it too quick, young min, you're liable to tear your

"Twould be better" said Mr. Saunup as coolly as Charles Surface dors, mildly as the agent for Hender son's Handy Hen's Nest at last de Phern's men is foolish to go round look tached himself from the rocking-chair, the trouble unless he is stranuous "not to be in quite such a hurry next restiess a little while before and time. But meing you were, I can give ever after.

clothes.

oung man loft here one day that he told mother and me would remove fresh paint and leave the goods. Mother and I've nover had occasion to try it, but I should like to see it work, and I don't Henderson's Handy Hen's Nest, but it know when I might have another was unusual for him to meet with such chance, folks round here not being as

Earth Wobbling at Its Polen

That this great spinning top which we dwell is wobbling upon its axis and that the North Pole is con-Nest seated himself in a comfortable stantly shifting its position, are facts proved by an elaborate series of investigations now being made in various parts of the world." So Writes John Elfreth Walkins in the Technical World Magazine. "The longest Series of systematic observations contributing data to such a conclusion have been as we are, but the mounting to what made ceaselessly since July, 1903, at the Naval Observatory, Washington. For research along the same lines there has more lately been established about the earth a chain of stations located at Galthersburg, Maryland, Cincinnati, Ohio; Uklah, California; Mizusawa Japan; Tschardjul, Turkestan; and Sharloforte, Italy. In each of this series of observatories is mounted a "zenith telescope" used for timing the passage of stars across the great arch of the heavens. At the Naval Observatory the research is conducted by aid of a 'prime vertical transit,' the only one in use in the Western Hemis

Matrimony makes a man awfully



SECRET OF CONTENTED LIFE.

By Rev. Olin Scott Boche. I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content.-Philippians 4:11.

When St. Paul wrote these philosophic words he was in prison, dependent upon the charity of others and in peril of a violent death. He recom-"content" because it slience nurmuring against the Supreme Be ing and destroys jealousy toward our nobility to the life and peace to the heart

The apostle's other writings prove that he recognized that there is spurious as well as a genuine content. There is such a thing as righteous discontent, and it is absolutely necessary o all advancement, whether moral, social, intellectual or spiritual. St. Paul is speaking of physical wants and comforts, and not of moral or spiritual states. His great endeavor was to make men dissatisfied with their spiritual state; he was constantly urging them onward and upward.

But, on the other hand, he teaches that there should be no anxiety about temporal things. Man is to do his utmost, but, having done so, is not to worry. Character is the main thing, and whatever develops that is important, even if we are denied worldly

Then if you would be happy, strive to enrich the soul-seek supremely eavenly wealth; with regard to the body, it is well to accept what Provi-

There are two good rules which may selp somewhat toward the attainment of content. First, curb the imagination from dwelling sadiy on things you do not possess. Many make their lives wretched and lose all interest in what they have by thinking constantly of what they have not. Whether it be wealth, position, fame or power, the one thing lacking is the one thing without they cannot be happy. In our day the great cause for discontent seems to be that everyone is not a millionaire, and that, too, without special abor. Surely it is fortunate that we cannot all have our desire, else there would be no stimulus to effort and the world's work could not be done.

The other rule is to cultivate the habit of looking on the bright side of things. There is no cloud without its fiver linkag—no night without its star. Disappointments come to everybody. but his is a weak nature that is over come by them. They are necessary to keep down pride and to increase strength. Despondency checks exertion but good spirits may achieve much. God has given each one of us much

to enjoy if we have eyes to see it. Flowers, the songs of birds and all the beauties of nature are typical of His goodness. Princely possessions can pur chase little more than food and raiment and shelter, and if we possess these we ought not to be discontented. Let us look on the bright side of things Such rules will go far toward im

parting the great virtue of content, bu to be thoroughly efficacious they must be founded upon that vital principle which actuated St. Paul, namely, a per fect confidence in God's love and pro tection.

#### MEETING TEMPTATIONS. By Rev. Henry F. Cope.

Be not overcome of evil, but over rome evil with good.—Romans 12:21: who would not rather There are few do good than evil, few who do not de sire the right way of living; but our difficulty is in summoning the will to walk therein; the problem is not that of determining the right, but that of reaching and realizing it. He makes a great mistake who fails to credit mankind with desires for righteousness. But how soon and easily are we dis

ouraged. When we would do good we find evil so often present and in such nower that at last, becoming convinced that insuperable difficulties lie in the path of virtue, it does not seem worth to attempt to tread it. The weak-willed are thus baffled before they really begin.

Others struggle on, seeking freedom from sin by stern self-denial, by rigidlyexcluding from their lives all the long ist of things that experience or opinion has pronounced dangerous or evil. Life is given to the effort for negative righteousness. But it may well be questioned whether either the individnal or the ruce is ever substantially the better for negative righteousness.

The path to the heights where ma ought to trend is not indicated he "Don't" signs only. The significant mistakes we make in our fight against sin is that we put ourselves solely on the defensive, imagining that the only thing we possibly can do is to hold the fort against our foes. But the defensive has everything to lose in defeat and nothing to gain by victory. Temp tation must be assailed.

Virtue is not something preserved: if is something attained; it is victory. It is not the maintaining of ourselve we ought to be. The life that moves on to larger and better being misses the assaults of many otherwise dam aging temptations, for it simply sweep them before it.

A man never overcomes evil until he learns to touthe it and to deny its right to any place in his life. Antipathy to the base and unworthy is developed in proportion as the appetite for the good and worthy grows. Morality is large ly a matter of good taste-that is, the ability to distinguish between that which is clevating and that which is de grading, and the cultivation of the desize for the things beloful

You are not likely to overcome evi while you are entertaining it in your beart. The sins against which we are belpless are the once to which we are hospitable. But neither is one likely die long ago."-Philadelphia Press.

to reach any worthy ideal by simply emptying the heart of all things cvil. What we need is not so much a smaller number of vices to inment as larger number of active, aggressive vir to occupy our energies. He is good who is positively good for some thing, not he who is innocent of any thing. What you really are can never be determined by the most minute enu meration of what you are not. There are too many whose sole conscious vir tue lies in what they are not.

Cultivate the virtues and the vices will take care of themselves. The de velopment of the good is the death of the bad. There is never an hour no a circumstance of life, never so much as a chance passer on the street or a flower by the wayside, but that in them we find either good or !!! the thought and optency that helps or hinders.

He who fares forth in cheerfulnes of heart, seeking to find good and to fellows. It gives serenity to the mind, do good, discovers that the foes he once feared flee before him; some of the temptations turn out to be illusions and obstacles once mountain high aini to the plain. Step out daily for better happier things, and the base and evil will have decreasing power and attraction for you.

Health is not in shutting out dise but in crowding in vigor, mushine heer and strength. Health of the heart comes in the same way. Cease to think of sin; seek the good and true the things kindly and helpful, the thoughts fair and wholesome; set in the heart the ideal of the best of all lives, the life that subdued ain by seeking to serve God and love man, and life shall find the vigor of virtue.

Short Meter Sermons. Hidden sins are hard to heal. Cursing yesterday does not correct

to-day. The selfish heart is always shortsighted.

Only a dead faith lies wrapped in No language is more eloquent than a

life of love. The beautiful life loses no time look-

ng for a mirror. They who never stop for little 'joys.

find no large ones. The church is a shelter for the sinner, but not for his sins.

There is more religion in one smile than in a score of sight. If you want to set the pace, be sure

you're on the right path. To turn from another's sorrow may be to miss your best toy. There is no harmony in any song in

which the heart does not sing. They who work as if the Master was ever near find Him always by them.

He has no real riches who does not put the treasures of friendship first of It is easy to make a dollar go a long

way when you get up speed on the down grade, A man is not charitable because he

feels like giving ice in January and coal in August. The preacher who really feeds his congregation will have no trouble in

filling his church. No man ever found that laying up treasures in heaven prevented his find-

ing real treasures here. The world may care little for theol-

ogy, but it recognizes with joy the heavenly life and love. The man who thinks he is weight because he is wordy usually is short

weight when it comes to works. A good many professions of religion

are set up on the theory that people believe their ears rather than their eres.

Many never write the check of suc ess because they wait for the world's indorsement before they begin to

The people who are climbing into the ecclesiastical band wagon are not the mes who are making the heavenly musie in this world.

ITALY'S NAVY.

#### New Battle Ships of the Dreadsonght

Type are Planned. The Italian admiralty has drawn up a bill asking for credit to the extent of £8,000,000 for the construction of four new battleships, loosely described as Dreadnoughts. There is good reason, however, to believe that the ves sels about to be commenced will be a considerable advance on the British ship, says the London Chonicle.

The caliber of the guns is believed

to be 13.5 inches, the weight of the shot fired from such guns being 1,200 pounds, as compared with 850 pounds of the Dreadnought's weapons. The Italian vessel is to carry eight of these guns, "so arranged as to obtain the fullest efficiency possible from them." The main armament will be arranged in the same way as that of the new British cruisers of the Inflexible class. There will be four turrets, one of different nationalities could underit each corner of a rhombus, two being stand with perfect ease, though many on the center line of the ship, and one of them understood no other language on either broadside, one near the fore save the tongue to which they were and one near the after center-line turret. In this way it is possible for all

broadside, and six ahead or astern. The gun efficiency, with eight venuous arranged in this way, is the the effect was inspiring. The esperan same as that obtained with ten mounted as in the Dreadhought, apart alto-thus;
"Nun estu Di' laudata, same as that obtained with ten mounted to version of the hymn commences 13.5-inch weapon over the 12-inch.

the guns to be brought to bear on either

The speed of these new ships is to e in excess of that of the latest Italian buttle ships now building, which is 22 at the Catholic church the Abbe Richbelt of nearly uniform thickness. In his congregation in esperanto after the the officers now in command. ench of these respects they will mark, usual Latin mass, considerable improvement on the Dreadnought, and they will cost £250, preached a sermon in esperanto at the 000 more than that ship.

It Popled Rim.

"Your wife tells me she finally in used by esperantists. It means "Deduced you to buy her the net dog sht lighted to meet you." tention). "Yes, but I'm disappointed in the

healthy animai?"



Avoiding Searlet Fever Scarlet fever is an eruptive disease, attacking persons of any age, but usually children, since, owing to its wide prevalence and exceedingly contagious character, few persons attain adult life without having been exposed to it. For this reason it is classed among the diseases of childhood.

It is the most serious of all the ordinary children's diseases, for, in addition to the direct mortality, which varies in different epidemics two and thirty per cent of those ated, it is prone to leave behind acute or chronic disease of the kidneys, or an inflammation of the ears which may cause permanent desfuess.

It is exceedingly contagious at allstages, from the very beginning until the last bit of skin has peeled off. This ntagion is carried in the discharge from the nose and throat, and in the bits of skin thrown off in the final stages of desquamation, or "peeling;" and it is very long-lived, persisting sometimes for months in handkerchiefs. bedding, clothing, and even the toys of

A scarlet fever patient should be treated in a room without carpets, window hangings or unbolstery-indeed the room should be bare of all furniture, even books, except what is absolutely necessary. No one, except the nurses in charge and the doctor, should ever be permitted to enter the room which should be in the upper story, and as far away as circumstances will permit from the living-rooms of the rest

of the family. The room should be always thoroughly ventilated—through the windows, the door being kept closed. Once a day the floor, walls and furniture should be wiped with a damp cloth wrung out in an antisceptic solution. No utensils ould be carried from the room. The discharges, after having been mixed with a powerful antiseptic and allowed to stand an hour, should be transferred to another vessel outside the sick-room and immediately emptied into the sewer or ce

Food brought to the sick-room should be transferred at the door to special dishes used only by the patient and nurses, and all waste food abould be thrown into a vessel containing a disinfectant, or, better, burned, if there is a stove in the room.

All solled linen should be soaked for several hours or boiled before being taken away, and should not be mixed with the family wash.

Nurses leaving the room for necessary air and exercise should change the outer garments outside the door and should avoid meeting or talking with any one outside the sick-room. Youth's Companion.

SERMON IN ESPERANTO.

Unusual Scene at Congress Held in

Cambridge, England. The esperanto congress held in Cam-England, recently, which bridge. brought together 1,300 representatives of more than twenty nations, was the casion of a sight which the world had never witnessed before. This was the preaching of a sermon and the conducting of the entire Church of England service in esperanto, the universal language. These devotional exercises were held at Great St. Mary's, the university church.

The preacher was Rev. J. Cyprian Rust, who had translated into esperanto all the hymns that were used. The scene was truly impressive. Here was an Englishman talking in a lan-



REV. J. CYPRIAN BUST.

guage which men of more than a score

When the congregation joined the Cambridge choir in singing the hymn; "Now thank we all our God. With hearts and hands and voices"

Per manoj, vocoji, koroj."

Pope Plus X sent his special blessing to the Catholics in the congress, and At the same time Rev. W. Selble

Congregational church.

You after me a strop-shouldered

than ordinary suspenders.

"It's too bealthy. I expected it to Clouds come high, but we must have



191-Richard I. defeated the Sarace at Arsouf.

1207-Wallace defeated the English at 1456—Mohammed II, repulsed at Bel-

1522 Circumnavigation of the globe completed by the return of Magal-lan's ship to Spain. 1544—Valparaiso, Chill, founded by Pedro de Valdivia.

1547—English defeated the Scots at Pinkie.

1565—French salled from Port Reyal, S. C., against Menendes at St. Augustine, Fla.... Founding of St. Augustine, Fla. 1584—Sir Humphrey Gilbert lost at sec.

1608 Capt. John Smith elected president of Virginia colony. 1609 Henry Hudson arrived in New

York bay. 1681—Gustavus defeated Tilly at Leip-

1650—Cromwell defeated the Scots at Dunbar.

1683 Jean Baptiste Colbert, celebrated Minister of Louis XIV. of France,

1751—New style of calendar adopted in Great Britain. 755—Exile of Acadians from Nova Scotia announced.

760-Montreal capitulated to the Brit-1763—Detroit relieved from slege by Indians. 1768—Cyclone at Havana destroyed one

thousand lives.

1776—American colonies first called the "United States" by Congress.

1781—Lafayette prevented the retreat of Connwallis into North Carolina ... New London, Conn., burned by British.

1795—First newspaper exclusively for commercial topics issued at Boston. 1800—Malta ceded to the British.

1800—Maita cedes to the British 1804—United States ship "Intropid" blown up in Tripoli harbor. 1807—Copenhagen surrendered to Admiral Gambier and Lord Catheart. 1812—French defeated the Russians at battle of Borodine.

1818-James J. Wallack made his first appearance an the American stage. 1828—Earl of Dalhousie finished his

term of office as governor general of Canada. 5—John G. Carlisle, ex-Secretary of the Treasury, born. 1838—Ferdinand I. of Austria crowned

at Milan. 1841-President Tyler vetoed the fiscal bank bill.

John Y. Mason of Virginia bec Secretary of the Navy... Elias Howe layented his sewing machine.

1850—House of Representatives passed
the fugitive slave bill....New Mex-

ico and Utah territories organised. 852—Brevet Col. Robert E. Lee made superintendent of the West Point Military academy. 1858 Gold found in Tangler river, Nova

Scotia. 1880—Union force under Grant occupied Paducah, Ky.

1861—First provincial synod of the
Church of England met at Montreal.

1862—Gen. Lee crossed the Potomac and
invaded Maryland.

1865—President Johnson issued his sec-

ond amnesty proclamation. 1870—French repuglic declared and flight of the Empress Eugenle.

1873-Great Britain paid the indemnity awarded in the Alabama claims. Colorado for the first time went Democratic. 1870-Fire at St. Hyacinthe, Quebec.

destroyed five hundred houses. 1879—Massacre of British residents at Canul. 1884-Parisians demanded that the government declare war on China. 1886—Apaches under Chief Geronimo

surrendered to Gen. Miles in Arizona. 1891—The new Chilean government recognized by the United States.... Tennessee Legislature refused to abolish the convict lease system.... Centenary of Meyerbeer celebrated at Berlin....German government re-moved the prohibition of the impor-tation of American pork.

1893-President Cleveland opened the Pan-American Medical Congress in Washington.
1891—Twelve thousand tailors struck in

New York City against the task-work 5—Attempt made to blow up the Rothschild bank in Paris. 189

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1898-United States commissioners appointed to negotiate a treaty of pea with Spain... New Westminster, B. C., nearly destroyed by fire. ent McKinley shot at the

Buffalo exposition.

One of the most radical shake-ups in the history of the United States navy is now reported to be under way in the de-partment, with especial reference to the personnel of the line on the battleships which are to take part in the forthcoming Pacific cruise. The purpose is to adance the younger men to the fighting line and send their elders to the rear, and it is said that of the eighteen captains who will command the shins on the long vovmots, and they are to have a complete ardson of Brussels, Belglum, addressed lage fourteen will be men younger than

> Night Telephone Bates Off. The telephone companies in all the larger cities have notified their patrons Congregational church.
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> "Mi estas carmita viu renkonti" is messages will not be in force all messone of the phrases most frequently sages to be at the regular day rates. This change applies to the long-distance service.

Grean Bute War Spreads rute" man wearing aboutier braces, but they: The International Meriancile Marine never seem to accomplish any more (compan) has gone into the rate war by then continues expensions.

cutting its east bound charge to \$22.50 "Its meet the action of competitors." This is virtually the winter schedule two months ahead of season,

a Man Writes Regurding Ili Indones in Western Canada— Pausgo in Momentona Kogninstona Kako Batry Kantly Assomptioned. Nothing succeeds like success, his an plications in Western Canada.

id and true saying, having many apdlowing letter is an illustration. The writer, Mr. Gerts, left Chicago a short ne ago and the success he has nebleyod may well be gained by unyone having pinck and energy by locating on tree homestead lands in Western Canada. A change has recently been made in the Canadian Land Regulations concerning homesteads, which family to make entry for any other member of the family entitled to a estead. For instance, a man may make entry before the local agent fog his father or for his brother rs, or for his son or sons, or for a slater or daughter who may be the ed of the family having minor children depending upon her for support, ter, daughter or mother are also entitled to make entry for any members of the family who are permitted entry upon a homestead. The only fee required is \$10 for each entry. A great eaving in railway expenses is thus made. Read what Mr. Gerts has to

Battleford, Sask., Aug. 4, 1907. Dear Sir: Thinking a letter from us Northwest settlers might interest you, I write a few lines to let you know we are progressing finely and well pleased with our new home.

When I think of the many hard-working, industrious men East with families who are struggling for a living and doing the strenuous, laying up practically nothing for old age, and the thousands of acres of land here yet to be plowed and cultivated, capable of raising sixty to eighty bushels of outs, thirty to for hels of wheat, it certainly seems a pity the two cannot be brought to-gether. But I will repeat, this country is only for the industrious and thrifty; also I might add it requires some capital to start.

A man should have at least a team of three good horses; better to have mares, so as to have some colts coming along each year. It is best to bring them with him, as good work horses are high. He should be able to purchase plow, disc and drag, harrow, drill, binder, mower and hay rake. Of several taking up claims or buying land near together can divide up purchasing of the above machinery and exchange work. This plan will work well for a few years or until crops will warrant each individual to purchase a full outfit.

We have 490 acres of as good farm land as lies in the famous Cut Kulfe district. Every foot can be plowed. Last year our oats run sixty bushels per acre. I sold them for 50 cents per bushel on the place.

The indications are for a good crop this year, though we were very late in seeding, owing to the late spring. Last winter was the coldest known in this country by the oldest settlers (some vho have been here thirty-five years). but with a comfortable house and plenty of fire-wood, which we hauled four miles we named the winter quite pleas antly. The air is clear and dry. Some of the days I came from work I was surprised to find the thermometer registering 40 degrees below zero. Though we never keep fire at night, we had nothing freeze in our cellar.

Our stock and chickens wintered

I have a yearling helfer, who would hold her own in any "fat stock show." She has never had a drop of milk since she was four months old and has never had a mouthful of grain. A gentleman who saw her made the remark "he bet that helfer had eaten her head off with grain," but would hardly believe she had never had any grain.

This is a great country for growing all kinds of vegetables, and we are certainly enjoying our garden. The flavor of the green pens is especially fine. Lost season Mrs. G. canned a lot of them, and we have enjoyed them up to the

I am sorry I did not have time this ason to attend to transplanting trees, but will keep the land I had prepared worked up for next season's planting. I received a number of small trees (ash and maple) from the Gov erument Experimental Farm at Indian Head. I put them around the edge of the garden and they are doing fine. I also received quite a lot of other seeds. cats, wheat, potatoes and rhubarb roots, which were acceptable.

It is useless for us to bother with garden flowers, as wild ones grow in profusion. We are located near a fine creek, the water of which is soft and fine for bathing and washing. We have a well of water near the house feet deep and 21 feet of water all the time, though it is harder than the

Land which could be bought for five dollars per acre three years ago, is now worth \$14 per acre, and steadily advancing each year. . .

All kinds of improvements are going on. Steam plows and large threshing outlits are already in Roads are being graded, bridges being built across rivers and creeks. Last year I took my family, also wagon across the Saskat chewan River in a row boat, swam my team across, and now the contract ba been let for a \$200,000 bridge at that

The C. N. R. have run their final survey from Battleford to Calgary, running west about one mile north of ns. The C. P. R. have run a survey. with runs northwest passes about 500 feet from the northeast corner of our The country will soon be ered with a network of railroads, and it will keep them busy hauling the output of grain. It is certainly encourage ing to us settlers.

Two years ago Harry, my son, and I as you know unloaded our car at Sas n and drove 180 miles to our claim. Last fall we had only eighteen niles to haul our wheat to railroad and, as you see, the prospects are we have a railroad at our very door and a town near by. This district can sport a good town, and it will be well Marry arrived home at 12 p. m. last

blacksmith shop to get plowshare best out. The shop was full of work and it was 8 p. m. when Harry left for home and purtles still in line to have work done. We will need stores nearer and good mechanics.

We are all enjoying the best of health, which is a great blessing. When we left Chleago over a year ago my youngest son's (4 years of age) health was so poor that I almost despaired of raising him, but he is certainly a hearty, healthy little fellow now. The pure fresh air has done him worlds of good.

good form, stock increasing, health and an independent life. What more can we expect? Did we have to make an effort? You can bet we did, and hustle, too.

Should you pass this way with your shotgun this fall, we should be pleased to let you shoot prairie chickens off our grain stocks.

Respectfully yours, Chas. M. Gorts and family.

Scalful Boston Messenger, A short time ago a gentlemen in Boston sent a small boy in his neighod to deliver a note to a young lady who lived a few blocks away. He gave the boy a quarter to make him hurry. After a short time the messenger came back, and, handing the money said: "Miss Z— says she will be glad to see you tonight, but she didn't want the quarter."—Judge."

Haven of Hest.

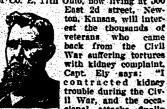
It is desirable that each sex should occasionally escape from the other. It is restful to the nerves to do so; it is good for men to be with men only and for women to be alone with women now and then, and the club is essen tially the place for each sex to find rest from the other and enjoy its own society.-London Lady's Pictorial.

Tickled, Bacon—"I see in some parts of Ireland a belt of woman's hair is placed around the child to keep harm away. Egbert-"I should think that ought to tickle the child almost to death."-Yonkers Statesman.

HERITAGE OF CIVIL WAR.

Thousands of Soldiers Contracted Chronic Kidney Trouble While in the Service. The experience of Capt. John L. Ely.

Ohio, now living at 500 East 2d street, New-ton, Kansas, will interof Co. E, 17th Ohio, n est the thousands of veterans who came back from the Civil



trouble during the Civil War, and the occa-sional attacks finally developed into a chronic case. At one time I had to use a crutch and cane to get about. My back was lame and weak, and besides the aching, there was a distressing retention of the kidwas a discressing retention of the gua-hey secretions. I was in a had way when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills in 1901, but the remedy cured me, and I have been well ever since."

Sold by all dealers, 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

BOY HAS STATH SENSE.

Norwegian Lad Can Find Missing People Through Mysterious Power. A mysterious sixth sense which en bles him to find missing persons is the power which is making John Floet tum, the 14-year-old son of a small farmer, an object of curiosity and awe throughout Norway.

One of his most remarkable successe is recorded by the Aftenposten to have just taken place. A wealthy farmer of Glommen left home and could no e found. A search party of seventy men organized by the family scource he surrounding country without find ing any trace of the farmer. Then it was decided to appeal to young Floet-

The youth was shown a photograph of the missing man, and immediately proceeded to draw a rough plan, indinting a route through the district, which he stated the farmer had taken. of the villagers then set out and followed the plan, at the end of which, near a narrow river, the missing man's handkerchief was found, but no trace of the man himself was vial-

On the following day the how led the search party. He entered a boat, which was sailed along the river according to his orders. He sat in the stern with a vacant store, apparently oblivious to his surroundings.

Suddenly he sprang to his feet, cryng: "Here he lies."

The water was dragged and the hody of the missing man was found.

The boy is credited with desens of

similar remarkable feats, and crowds of people are traveling from all parts of the country to see him.

FOUND OUT.

A Trained Nurse Made Discovery. No one is in better position to know the value of food and drink than a trained nurse.

Speaking of coffee, a nurse of Wilker Barre, Pa., writes: "I used to drink strong coffee myself, and suffered greatly from bendaches and indiges While on a visit to my brothers tion. had a good chance to try Postum Food Coffee, for they drank it alto-gether in place of ordinary coffee. In two weeks after using Postum I found was much benefited and finally my headaches disappeared and also the in-

"Naturally I have since used Postum among my patients, and have noticed a marked henefit where coffee has been left off and Postum used.

"I observed a curious fact about Postum when used among mothers. It reatly being the flow of milk in cases where coffee is inclined to dry it up, and where ten causes nerrousne

"I find trouble in getting servants to make Postum preperly. They most always serve it before it has been bolled long enough. It should be holled 15 to 20 minutes after boiling begins and served with cream, when it is certainly a delicious beverage." Read "The ed to Wellville" to page. "There's

WHILMAN POLAR TRIP FAILS.

frabip is Wrocked and Plan to Seek Pole Abandoned for This Year, Wolfer Wellman on Friday arrived at Tromsee, Norway, on board the

Fritiplot from Splitzbergen on his way nome. He ahnounced that he had definitely abandoned for this year, after a disastrous trial of his airship, the proposed attempt to reach the North Pole. World-wide interest had been excit-

ed in Wellman's proposed trip. Mr. Wellman's plans were as simple as they were spectacular and scientific. With two picked companions he purposed to So, to sum up the whole: Why should two picked companions he purposed to we not be glad we made the break. A sall in his alrahip from Spitzbergen to the North Pole, a distance as the crow files of 618 mlies.

The airship was a dirigible balloon modeled on the best lines known to French balloon makers. It tore a steel car 115 feet long, which would contain the three explorers, their outfit of me teorological and navigation instrument and a kennel of twenty-nine Alaskan sledge dogs with sledges. In case of



mishan to the airship or unfavorable winds, the men purposed to abandon the America and take to the sledges for the remainder of the way.

With winds in their favor and the airship standing the strain well they figured that the trip to the pole could he made in three days. With ordinary delays, but still sticking to the air; ship it might take them twenty days Forced to abandon the America, their trip might last three months. They had provisions for 275 days.

Starting from Spitzbergen, they fig ured that they would have to travel 1,286 sea uiles to the pole and back to their base: to the pole and thence to Alaska, the trip would cover 1,750 sea miles; to the pole and thence to Northern Norway, 1,740 miles; to the pole and thence to Northern Siberia, an average of 1,500 miles; to the pole and thence as far south as human habitations in Canada, 2,440 miles.

The nirship made an ascent Sept. 2 in a strong northeasterly wind, which drove it southeastward over the land It was found necessary to cut the baloon adrift from the other parts of the airship, but it was recovered after two days' search.

INCREASE FARMERS' EARNINGS. Big Gain for Year Due to Higher Prices of Products.

According to a preliminary report on crops, published in the American Agriculturist, the American farmers' earnings are \$1,000,000,000 greater this year than last. This big gain will be entirely due to the increased prices of farm products, as the production in general will be fully 10 per ent less in quantity than in 1006, which

was the bumper year.
"The farmer was never in so healthy a position as he is to-day-financially, socially, politically, mentally and spiritu-ally," says the report. "The increase in the value of his real estate has been prodigious. He owes less money than ever before. He has greater assets than ever Again, the farmer's wants are greater. He in the market for more and better preeding stock, farm implements, hou hold goods and other merchandise."

A Rate Law Test Case.

That State control of interstate railroads has ceased by virtue of the Hepburn rate law is the broad ground of an appeal to the federal courts now made by the Missouri Pacific railroad from a writ issued by the Supreme Court of Kansas. The writ was issued in favor of the Larrabee Milling Company of Stafford, Kan, to compel the Missouri Pacific to continue the practice of delivering cars to the mill over Santa Fe tracks, which cross at that point, at the old rate of \$2 car. It was conceded that three-fifths mill's business was interstate. The efendant railroad now asserts that the State court has no jurisdiction, and that road is wholly under the control the Interstate Commerce Commission,

Possible Arizons-Nevada Union. Since the proposition for joint state-hood with New Mexico has been reject-ed by the people of Arizona it has been suggested that in case Congress shows a disposition to withhold statehood honors from Arizona separately a move might be made toward a union of that territory with Nevada. Such a measure, it is said, will be strongly supported by the very people who have opposed the union with

Tice of Seismograph in War. According to dispatches from Vienn ome important experiments were mad recent Ostend minner during the trink Prof. Belar, director of the Lalbach arthquake observatory, who used the seismographic apparatus to see if it was to calculate scientifically by the ibrations of the earth the location and direction of distant artillers fire. The experiments were satisfactory, and they vill be continued during the coming autumn artillery maneuvers in the Karawanken bills.

For Central American Peace The State Department has received replies from five of the Central American operate along the lines laid down by President Roosevelt and President Diaz The next step will be the arrangement a conference, probably to be held at Washington.

\$350,660,408 in Treasury

balance on hand of \$350,600 He on Sent 2. The decrease in the public debt dure at Typing the month of August was \$3,000,722. Springs.

BIG GUNS ON DEFENSE.

Jucle Som Bas Enversons Ridge

Guard Shore Line. Despite the fact that the United States has one of the longest coast lines of any great power it will shortly afford that coast line ample protection from one end to the other on both the Atlantic and Pacific sides. Work will soon be begun to put on the finds line to the coast of the coast to put on the finishing touches of de-fenses and fortifications in the insular possessions. Altogether the outlay neces sary to fortify and protect the United States proper and its outlying possessions is over \$200,000,000, of which amount considerably more than half has been expended.

The scheme of national defense upon which work was in progress between 1888 and 1906 was based primarily upon a report submitted to the President by the so-called Endicott board in 1886. This board investigated the entire continental coast line of the United States and rec commended the construction of fortific tions which were estimated to cost about \$120,000,000. Along the lines mapped out by this board Congress has appropri-ated approximately \$75,000,000. In 1905 the President again appointed

a board to revise the work done under the Endicott board and this time Secre-tary Taft was its president. After an exhaustive investigation the new national on the recommendation of the Endicott

As a result of the work of both boards the following twenty-six ports may be said to be provided with ample sea-coast defenses: Kennebec river, Me.; Portland, Me.; Portsmouth, N. H.; Boston, Mass.; New Bedford, Mass.; Narragansett Bay. R. I.; eastern entrance to Long Island sound; New York, N. Y.; Dehware river; Baltimore, Md.; Washington, D. C.; Hampton Roads, Va.; Cape Fear river, N. C.; Charleston, S. C.; Port Royal, S. N. C.; Charleston, S. C.; Port Royal, S. C.; Savannah, Ga.; Key West, Fla.; Tampa bay, Fla.; Pensacola, Fla.; Mobile bay, Ala.; New Orleans, La.; Galveston, Texas; San Diego, Cal.; San Francisco, Cal.; Columbia river, Oregon and Washington; Puget sound, Wash. A glance at the list shows twenty-two of the brenty-six sea-coast defenses on the Atlantic coast, mounting approxi-mately nine-tenths of the sea-coast guns

of the United States,
Outside of continental United States under the recommendations of the Taff sea-coast defenses and naval stations are being constructed at Guant name, Cubn; Honolulu and Pearl Harb in the Hawaiian Islands: San Juan, Por

to Rico; Subig bay, Philippine Islands Kiska in the Alcutian Islands and Guam The manning of the sea-coast defense an emaning of the sea-coast velenases is at present in charge of the artillery branch of the United States army. In the estimate provided by the national defense board it was shown that when all the sea-coast defenses were completed it would require 57,337 men to properly resolutions when he time of were manipulate them in time of war.

Yet, according to the last report from the War Department, there were only 18.941 men in the whole artillery branc of the army, of whom 4,912 were in the field artillery. The last Congress, however, authorized the formation of this teen full regiments of coast artillers which, when fully recruited, will add ap proximately 13,000 men to that branch of the service.



The Order of Railway Conductors has to hold its 1900 blennial conven tion at Boston.

More than 100,000 railway servants in England are required to work from twelve to fifteen hours a day.

The sixty-hour-a-week schedule will be put in force in the cotton mills of South Carolina Jan. 1, 1908. Average wages in Canada have in-creased 27 per cent in five years, accord-ing to the census report.

The number of wage earners employed in Virginia cotton mills in 1905 was 0,610, receiving \$1,647,739 a year. Eight hundred union barbers in Chicago, have been granted a schedule of

wages and working conditions by their An effort is being made to establish

The Amalgamated Society of British Engineers will, after this year, cease at-tending the Trades Union Congress, and

absent itself for at least four years. A National Association of Carpe Workers of America has been organized This will have jurisdiction of about 20.

000 persons employed in carpet mills. The demand of the Havana cigarmal ers that they be paid in American mone has been granted by the Cuban manu facturers, and the factories will imme

diately be reopened. Garden truck bearing union labels i the latest thing proposed in Newburgh, N. Y., farmers in that vicinity having organized and asked for affiliation with the Central Labor Union.

There are thousands of women an girls who are members of unions of trades in which most of the workers are men and these unions are, naturally, controll ed by the male members. The printers, telegraphers, garment workers, tobacco workers and several other trades admit women to membership in their unions and their rolls show a goodly number of romen members.

The Council of the canton of Tessin, Switzerland, has decided by 34 against 21 votes to repeal the act prohibiting night work in bakerics. The men are badly organized and will probably not be able to resist the attempt of the master to relittroduce night work.

The Union of Sawmill Workers in th

north of Sweden has beaten one of the biggest employers after a most bitter and prolonged fight, during which several hundreds of families were evicted from their dwellings, the employer in question hav-ing adopted for some time the device of housing the men in his own cottages.

The quarterly report of the Central Iron Molders' Association of Scotland shows a membership at the end of the quarter of 4,264, an increase of 245 as compared with the previous quarter. The dispute of machinists at Belfast,

Ireland, has developed into a most seri ous situation. It is reported that the employers have decided on a general lockout, and the men on a general strike Plumbers of Chicago have started a The monthly statement of the United movement for the establishment of a States Treasury Department shows a cash home for aged and infirm members along lines similar to those of the International Typographical Union at Colorade

"Yes." self a forist, "I can work

miracles in my business. For instance I can grow you lettuce while you wait for your dinner with the broiled spring

"I do it in this way. I take a hand ful of lettuce seeds that have been soaked overnight in alcohol, and I plant them in a box containing three inches of loam and quicklime. I water this soil, and in ten minutes the seeds burst. In twenty minutes two tiny leaves push through the earth. The leaves grow and multiply. In an hour they are as big as baif dollars. Then you may pluck and eat them. They are delicious a fairy salad.

"Sometimes, when I give a dinner party, I have one of these little pre-pared lettuce beds in the center of the table. The guests see the lettuce grow and when the time comes for the saind course, there is their saind bloming before them, all ready for them to pinck."-Chicago Inter Ocean.

Ven.
In Germany "von" implies nobility, and all persons who belong to the no-bility prefix "von" to their names withcoast defense board recommended an additional expanditure of \$51,000,000 to not belong to the nobility cannot have provide fortifications for new places and the right to put "yon" before their the right to put "von" before their names. A man who is knighted for some reason, however, has the same right to put "yon" before his family name as a person of ancient nobility For instance, when Alexander Humboldt was knighted he became Alex ander von Humboldt. All his descer ants, male and female, take the prefix

THREE BOYS HAD ECZEMA.

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In a State of Suspense.

Mayme—To tell the truth, I don't
now whether I'm engaged to Phil or not.
Jule—The idea!

Mayme—Last night at the concert,

1, 5, and 7, 1908."

while the orchestra was playing a selection from Wagner, he whispered something to me. I couldn't hear what it was of course, but I nodded, and-and he's been unusually affectionate since then.'
—Chicago Tribune.

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"Yes," spoke up an old farmer in the
audience; "and there never was a time
in your life when you had the courage to
take one in your hand!" spade a spade!"

Bathe in Lily Pads. One of the prettiest sights to be seen in any of the parks that boast fountains and water lilies is the bathing of the birds. The little fellows hop from one lily pad to another until they find one a federation of labor in Oklahoma. If it that dips enough to take on water, and is organized it will have about 145,000 here, in the round, green, floating tub here, in the round, green, floating tub provided by nature, they flutter and flourish until the bath is accomplished It is a sight of never-ending interest for

Welcome Home.

Peddler - Wouldn't you like som mottoes for your house, mum? It's very cheering to a husband to see a nice motto on the wall when he comes

Mrs. Dagg-You might sell me one if you've got one that says, "Better late than never."

Showing the Furniture.

"I tell you I was at my best last night while calling on the Smiths; Mrs. Smith laughed at every remark I made, I must be quite a humorist when I'm in "No. it wasn't that. Mrs. Smith not

her new teeth yesterday."-Houston Knocking.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak-I understand the last United States census reports ten women working as wheelwrights in the country. Mr. Crimsonbeak-Well, they're not

the only women who use hammers.

Yonkers Statesman.

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Two of a Kind. Miss Hilda England, the young Swedish actress, whose remarkable portray als of Ibsen and Strindberg roles have

was recently the center of a party of women in a little restaurant on th East Side. During the course of the Now Open for Settlement dinner stories went round, and Miss England told some incidents of her ap prenticeship upon the stage at Stock holm under the personal direction of

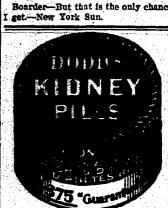
that great actor. August Lyndberg. Lyndberg was an august person and strict disciplinarian. One day a young actor who had already been the victim of several reprimands and severe scoldings came in very late. He was haggard, dishereled and showed very plainly that he had been drinking. In a very lignified manner Lyndberg, who had been watching for him, approached and said in impressive tones:

been on a drunk again?" "So have I," responded the young actor, quickly.—Bohemlan.

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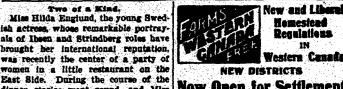
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PHEASANT NEIGHBERHOODS. affected by the quality of one's neighbors, eyen though one may not be on ng terms with them. A pleaa discompled, cross one; and a house that has ... air of being inhabited is Wishing brings a small income, and social blinds, excluding every ray of surfactorial compathy.

see the glancing, cheerabyh the window, of a cold ....ten them, as evening despens gradually creeping from the partor to the apper stories of the house near us. We like to watch the little children going in and out of the door, to play or to school. We like to see the white-robed baby dancing up and down at the window in its mother's ities, or the injury reading his news paper were ut avening, or any of these anser un impromptu home glimpses which, though we are no Paul Pry, we will assert go to make a pleasant neighbor to those who live for comfort instead of show.

Sad, indeed, some morning, on waking, it is to see the blinds down and the shutters closed, and to know that death's angel, while it spared our threshold, has crossed that of our cheerful neighbor. Sad to miss the white-robed baby from the window and see the jittle coffin at nightfall borne into he nouse. Sad to see the impocent in the faces pressed at even title against the window pane, watch the for the "dear papa" who has gone to his long home.

Prery man must patiently abide his is less pastime, not in querudejection, but in constantly steam alling and accomplishing his ide when the occasion comes he. may be equal to it. The talent of nothing more than doing what you can do well, without thought the work in such schools shall satisfy or fame. If it comes at all it will come because it is deserved, not because it and troublesome ambition which cares so amen about what the world says of We do or say; to be alto hear the echoes of

#### ON SWEARING. m English poet.

wrote some lines about swearing which is would be well for every boy "It chills my blood to hear the blest

write some heautiful hymns. He

sapreme Fedely appealed to on each triling

Maintain your rank; vulgarity despise To sweav is neither brave, polite, nor

carbon." or "mercy on me,".

#### ACHAT WITH THE GIRLS.

There'l's melady, perhaps it was a price. by thre for his that fashionsider cassisgements enter a kitchen or kno thow to make a loaf of bread Now we know some sensible girls who do not consider demselves disgraced If they are found belging their mothers, and moreover we know that what the above mentioned prude said is true in many instances.

Society at the present day demands that girls shall be what they call accomplished; and to fulfill this demand the mothers of Christendom teach Their daughters that a knowledge of port of the Finance Committee be accepted and orders drawn for the several amounts. Motion carried. Mone is not me of the requirements. that manual labor must be consonant To the Hon. President and members to their his hands slip idly over the Common Council of the village of to their lik hands allp idly over the pand keys; they waltz in the most approved style; simper a little French German, quote poetry—and society freviere and by-and-by, as all modern Now is there one of their boasted miplishments that will help to preor bies a home? We know that where there are no songs or hariaeniss; but a knowledge 🙃 piago will not help a woman disof French or an ability to walltions in polatable dinner for a

life lave not less ability

early years. If mothers will touch, by word and doed, that idlenges is an accomplishment, then what may we expect? Where shall we look for the true women, the blessed homes in the years to come? The woman who would fill life's station nobly and well cannot learn too much. If she fails in her home she will fail in all. for there reals the basis of her ultimat

Never in the history of any country in any age, has there been such a mighty work before the youth of our land as there is today; and we might say never were young men as ignor ant of it and unlited for their work Each one wants the other to row the boat while he catches the fish. All seem to believe in luck. Let us say to you, young men, that pluck wins more battles than luck. Wishing is One's pleasure, after all, is much the easiest way in the world to get a poor living. Looking for the fortunate star to rise is like standing on the ocean's strand waiting and watch sent, beight face is surely better than ing for wealth-laden ships to come over the sea that never "put out." the taxes on it are enormous. Don't say the world owes you a living until you have earned one. Idleness in boys and girls is the blackest curse of any land. There is just as great a work and just as noble for the young woman as for the young man. When the girls, in earnestness, cast aside the loose cloak of vain fickleness, and donning the beautiful garments of laboring purity, come forth from the sickly chamber of the "accomplished" asking "What shall we do?" and bearing the motto "Woman's ability shall see light," then the boys will be come more earnest, more temporate more like men. Dear young people be not afraid or ashamed of labor Hard hands, strong arms, and sur burned faces are honorable. Take "Excelsior" for your motto, and if ean surely write under it that other good word, "Eureka."

#### SCHOOL LAW.

Some Important Changes Made b the Legislature.

schools, who upon the completion of the county commissioner or superin tendent of schools that they have completed the work of the eigth grade are exempt. All children holding eighth grade diplomas from the public schools are exempt. The truant officer is authorized to secure the written statement of a competent physician when it is claimed that children are physically unable to attend school and children over 14 years may be excused by the county commissioner or city superintendent on recommenda tion of the school board. Children between 12 and 14 while attending confirmation classes conducted for periods of not to exceed five months in those years are exempt.

The rural school truant officer shall be appointed by the sheriff as heretofore. but in addition to this the sheriff shall be responsible for his acts and and lung remedies put together. Used as a cough and cold cure the world truant officer must investigate cases whooping cough, quinsy, hoarseness, or "by jingo," or by

of the series of the complete the series of the complete the series of the ser or "by jingo," or by complaint against the parent. If chers often cry out, found guilty such parent shall be fined not less than \$5 nor more than hese are the begin- \$100 or imprisonment in the county part of they are to pro- jail. This takes the discretionary what acorns are to authority away from the justices and if guilt is proven they shall levy a

#### Proceedings of the Common Council.

OFFICIAL.

Grayling, Sept. 16, 1907. Special meeting of the Common Council convened at the Court House. J. F. Hum, President in the chair.
Present Trustees Connine, Petersen, Kraus and Amidon.
Absent, Trustee Fournier, and Clark.
Meeting called to order by the President.

Minutes of the preceeding meeting

read and approved.

Trustee Fournier entered and took his seat.

Moved and supported, that the re-

REPORT.

Claims and Accounts, would recom-

	red, as follows:	ing bills	De al-
- /	27.55.85	CI,M'D	ALLWD
	S. H. Co. Mdse	\$ .35	.35
2.	Chas Howland, Re on cement walks	b. 16.20	16.20
	C. Howland, rebat	92.60	82,60
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	Co. service, Aug.	63,40	63.40
	Mdsc. J. W. Sorenson	1.80	1.80

A. E. Newman, surveying J. Jorgenson, rebate on demest Walks Ches. Howland, Rub.

## **EXCURSION** BAY CITY, DETROIT Neuralgia **TOLEDO**

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#### MICHIGAN CENTRAL.

11. Chas. Howland, Reb. on cement walks 6.75

R. D. CONNINE, H. PETERSEN. A. KRAUS,

Moved and supported, that the peti-tion of C. T. Jerome et. al-relative to the construction of manholes, be re-fered to the committee on streets. Me-

ton carried.

Moved and supported, that the petition of the Crawford County Farmers'
Telephone Company be refered to the
committee on streets. Motion carried. Committee on streets. Motion carried.

Moved and supported, that the council adjourn. Motion prevailed,

H. P. OLSON,

Village Clerk.

During the remaining part of Sep ember I will reduce the price on the rork on shirtwaists as follows: Fancy wash shirtwaists with tucks, lace and insertion, also fancy Jap-aleeves, usuyou are patient, in a few years you al price \$1.25, Twill now make it for cents; usual price of silk waists \$2.00, I will now make them for \$1.25. MRS. GEORGE YOUNG,

Next door to Frank Tetu

#### Health in the Canal Zone.

The truancy or compulsory law as amended by the last legislature specifically provides that all children between the ages of 7 and 16 years shall attend school the entire school year and the attendance must be continuous and consecutive. Under exemptions children who are taught in a private or parochial school in the branches usually taught in the public schools, who mon the completion of

#### Hardgrove Happenings.

Mr. Earl Criss is visiting his sister low at Hardgrove.

Miss Lavina Karr called on Mrs. H S. Buck, Sunday.

Also, Mr. Glen Owen called on Mrs. Buck, Sunday. Mrs. A. H. Buck started for her

home in Linden, Tuesday.

#### A Haman Appeal.

. A humane citizen of Richmond, Ind., Mr. U. D. Williams, 107 West Main St., says: "I appeal to all persons with week lungs to take Dr. King's New Discovery, the only remedy that has helped me and fully comes up to the proprietor's recomendation." It saves mare lives than all other throat

#### Lost and Found.

Lost, between 9.30 p. m., yesterday and noon to-day, a billions attack, with nausea and sick headache. This loss was occasioned by finding at L. Fournier's drug store a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed for biliousness, malaria and jaundice. 25c.

#### Lovell's Locais.

C. F. Dickenson went to Toledo Ohio, Tuesday. He has just sold the N. E. 1 of sec. 25 T. 29 to Michael Sox of Toledo, Ohio, who will commence immediately to clear it up and

Nelson C. Cotabish has purchased the M. Dyer farm. Mr. Dyer has purchased 80 acres near Vanderbilt.

Michael McMannan got his toe too close to the elevator chain, lost one toe and pinched two more quite badly. Dr. Knapp dressed the wound.

Another sad accident occured Wednesday afternoon about five o'clock. George Gibson's little boy, Robert, about two years of age. unnoticed by GENTLEMEN:-Your Committee on his parents for a few moments, went to the river and was drowned. Internent Friday at Lewiston. The famis ly have the sympathy of the friends and neighbors.

13.68 They were pulling stumps when one

of the cables broke, striking the horse on one of its legs and breaking it. M.Hanson was in town Friday.

T. E. Douglas went to Saginaw. Friday. Ray Owen bought the Louis Doby

Miss Laura David is on the sick list. Dr. Knapp is waiting on her.

The Touch That Heals.

Is the touch of Bucklen's Arnica Salv Its the happiest combination of Aruica flowers and healing balsams ever com-pounded. No matter how old the sore or ulcer is, this Salve will cure it. For burns' scalds, cuts, wounds or plies, it has no equal. Guaranteed by L. Fournier, druggist. 25c.

It is now being pointed out that if the prosecution of the trusts continues, the poor will suffer with the rich Still, that's a heap better than the poor suffering alone.

H. C. McKinley, for so many years the genial editor of the Herald, has purchased the house which he former ly rented of A. E. Scott, and is having it beautifully embellished with a coat of paint. His many friends will rejoice in his decision to remain in Gaylord.—Herald.

A small church was in need of repairs, and a meeting was being held Y. Euler, deceased. to raise funds for that purpose. minister having said \$500 would be required, a wealthy, and equally stingy, member of the congregation rose and said he would give a dollar. Just as he sat down a lump of plaster fell from the ceiling and bit him on the head, whereupon he arose hastely, called out that he had made a mistake-he would give \$50. An enthusiast present, forgetful of everything, called out fervently. "O Lord, hit him again!"-Ex

There is no reasonable excuse for any man to live in a town if he doesn't like it. If you have no word of commendation to say for your town, its sept12-3t institutions or people, emigrate. You won't stop the town clock by going away. The church bells will have the same musical ring, the little dogs will play just as well, and the bright sunshine will have the same health giving groperties. Speak a good word for your neighbor if you can, if you cannot don't everlastingly enlarge their faults. If you have become thoroughly disgruntled move away; go somewhere where things will suit you.

#### CARPET WEAVING.

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III.

MORTGAGE SALE.—Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, made by Fayette P.

Richardson and Ellia A. Richardson, his wife, of the Town of Contry Pains, County of Crawford and State of Michigan, to The Wayne County Savings Bank, of the City of Detroit, County of Wayne and State of Michigan, to The Wayne County Savings Bank, of the City of Detroit, County of Wayne and State of Michigan, to The County of County, 1883, and the 2nd day of Detroit, County of Wayne and State of Michigan, bearing death of 2nd day of March, 1883, in liber 2nd 1883, and the 2nd day of March, 1883, in liber 2nd 1883, and whereas, by reason of said default, there is claimed to be due and montages, on parte 327 and man money paid by the mortages for this voice, including principal, interest and mortgage, or any part tickney; one therefore, notice is hereby gilven that by virtue of the power of rate in said mortgage, or sufficient the county of Crawford and of the book highest blader for cash, o. 1985-DAT, THE HINTENNITH DAY Of DUCEMBER, 1987, at twelve oclock noon, at the front deer o. the Court House in the Town of Grander though the form the rot of the court of the said mortgage, or sufficient death of the highly the promises described in said mortgage, as a sufficient death of the said week by law, and associated for tages of sale, including the attending the attender of the said mortgage, or sufficient death of the promises described in said mortgage as a proposal sale including the attender of the said mortgage, or sufficient death of the promises described in said mortgage as a proposal sale including the attender of the said mortgage as a proposal sale including the attender of the said mortgage as a proposal sale including the attender of the said mortgage as a proposal sale including the attender of the said mortgage as a proposal sale including the attender of the said mortgage of the said mortgage of the said mortgage as a proposal sale including the said mortgage of Our Highway Commissioner Geo.

F. Owen is doing a good job removing some of the stumps and stones from our highways. Let the good work go on.

Mrs. Davey of Toledo, Ohio, is here enjoying the scenery and breathing the pure air.

600 black bass were planted in Shoe Pack Lake, Thursday.

Friday the Douglas Co. had the misfortane of losing one of their horses.

They were pulling stratips when one

County of Crawford and State of Mich. A capabilities in the scinous mids in an interest quarter (1) and it is northeast quarter. (1) and the northeast quarter (1) and the northea

## If It's

agonizing pains drive you almost crazy, take Dr. Miles' Arti-Pain Pills, and get relief. They drive out the pain by their soothing effect upon the nerves. When taken as directed they are harmless, and leave no bad after-effects. That's the reason they are so popular with all who use them. Your druggist can tell you what others in your locality

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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held a the Probate Office in the yillage of Grayling in said county, on the ninth day of September, A. D., 1907. Present; Hon. Wellington Batterson Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Henry V. Euler deceased

aid court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to George Hartman or some

other snitable person.

It is ordered, That the seventh day of October A. D. 1907 at one o'clock in the afternoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said Petition;

ing said Petition:
It is further ordered, that public notice thereof he given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

WELLINGTON BATTERSON
Indee of Probate.

A true copy. WELLINGTON BATTERSON.

#### Teachers Examination.

There will be held a teachers exami n; tion at Grayling, Thursday and Friday, October 17th and 18th. The examinations will be along the follow-

ing lines; Reading-"Ode to a Skylark"-Shelley.

Arithmetic Fundamental process; factoring and its applications; analysis of difficult problems in fractions and control problems in cocupations.

of difficult problems in fractions and precentage; proportion; occupations. Grammar-Paragraphing and punctuation. Verbs and their modification. Construction of words. Idiomatic constructions. Parsing. Geography—Climate and distribution of life. General study of con-

erment, mining.
Africa—Divisions.

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WELLINGT: N BATTERSON,
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Mand Henderson Co. at the Opera louse, Monday.

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H. A. Bauman is home from the U P. lumbering camps for a visit with the family.

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N. Michelson has rejuvenated the painting of his elegant home, making it as bright as a new pin.

#### Bressed chickens every day at South Side Market.

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There were almost continuous thunder storms during Sunday night, and over two inches of rain.

LOST.-Two Yale Lock keys, on small ring. The finder will please bring them to this office.

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tera for School Supplies of every de scription, and prices are right. Oscar Hanson's house is practically

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burg apples last week that were as

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Dishes of all kinds for sale. Cups and saucers, 40 cents per set. Pitchera and tumblers at \$5 and 10 cent counter. At Jewell and Ryan, on Ceder Street, at Metcalf's old meat mar-

#### For best bread use "Light House" Hour. Money refunded if not satis-S. H. Co.

The "hole in the ground" which our people have been attentively watching, is down 2800 feet and yet in folid rook, since passing the salt vein. This is the end of the contract and ork is stopped for the present. igh everybody hopes it progresses wigh to know what comes next.

ni got a sack.

Saturday, Sept. 21st. All the ladies years, is home on a visit. are cordially invited.

\$1,000 cortificate is said to be misspeileu Look among your change

ominon State Bank of Roscommon, and Miss Gertrage Clane, of Cheboy gan, were married last week.

in town Tuesday with a big load of Duckess of Oldenburg apples: which were well nigh perfection. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Larson, nee

Lena Peterson, have returned to live in Grayling, to the pleasure of their many old time friends.

Charles Z. Horton of Frederic, prought in a nice lot of Green Gaige plums from his orchard last week. This section is bound to excell in fruit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Michelson of channesburg are rejoicing over the arrival of a new son, on the 13th inst. They are nearly as happy as Grand-

E. E. Hartwick of Jackson joined his family here last week. They will remain some time yet, while he is attending to business in this part of the

H. Trumley returned home last Thursday from a two months visit with friends and relatives in the southern part of the state, looking so as he had enjoyed the vacation.

A new comer arrived at the home of its grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis aMotte. Mrs. Paul Lovely gave birth to a fine baby boy Tuesday, Sept. 10, Dr. Insley introducing the mated yield of rye the northern and little stranger.

A new railroad bridge is being built cross the river, which will be double tracked. It was greatly needed to accelerate the switching of trains at the south end of the train sidings.

Mis. Osborn has returned from her millinery exploration trip to the cities and our ladies are on tiptoe of expectation awaiting the opening of the nestyles.

ESTRAYED-From my premises steers are red and 1 red and white sbotted muley, one of the heifers is a red muley and one red and white. Fred Sholtz, Roscommon

There were a lot of "The Old Boys yesterday for the Soldiers' reunion at the gang, we were not able to get timber per sere. The tract comprises

county, is how reaping his reward. The yield will not be large this season but the increased value will fill up his bank account.

FOR SALE-As I am leaving for Washington, I will sell all my house hold goods way below cost. If you erous among the present state officers. need anything, phase call and get Lieut Gov. Kelly and Auditor Generprices. James C. Harvey. One block at Bradley are avowed candidates. east and south from school house.

The fine weather of the last ter days has nearly completed the crop of corn, much of which is now safe, and Attorney General Bird to become doubled the yield of late botatoes, be aides securing the growth of this years seeding of clover.

E. M. Vosburg of the Hotel Bryant of Flint, and Charles P. Downey of legislature will bring out more con the Hotel Downey, in Lansing, have leased a tract of 3,700 acres of land in Roscommon county, and will use it as a game preserve. The lease extends over a period of five years.

It is reported that three young mer at Mackinaw City, Sunday, fired their rifles into a building where dynamite was stored. All three were killed and the town shaken up in grea shape, doing considerable damage and frightening the people.

Fire did \$20,000 damage to the Citizens' Manufacturing Co.'s plant at Standish the 13th. The wood-work strojed. It is said there is ample insurance to cover the loss. The plant will be rebuilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stanard have gone to Burt, Saginaw county, for a vacation while he is more fully regaining his strength, which has been slowly but surely coming for the past month. His friends will be glad to see him fairly on his feet again after his eight months knockout.

According to a new law all physcians and nurses who file their birth certificates properly made out in black ink with the township clerk or the board of health at least ten days after the birth, will receive a compensation of 50 cents for each certificate. The money is paid to the physicians by the county.

We were glad last Monday to welcome to our home our nephew, Charles O. Barlow, assistant manager of the Hamilton Republican Club, of Chica- ed here for several years past and is go, the largest organization of its now a teacher in Maple Forest, was kind in the United States, and one carrying an immence weight in shap- guat, and while calling with her coning public affairs in their city and ain in the country near that city wer. state, as well as in the nation.

Judge Sharpe has made his assign- the young man went at once to the ments for dates of holding circuit Pasteer Institute at the University. court in the 34th judicial circuit for and after examination sent for Misthe ensuing two years, beginning Ayers, who went down last Saturday January 1st next. The only change Hers was but a slight scratch on the of dates is in Ogemaw, where the cheek and she had given the subject October session will after this year but little thought as there was no sufbegin on the fourth Monday of the fering from it, but the authorities month instead of the third as hereto- felt it was not safe to take the risk o fore. The change is made on account of court conflicting with the October | be no ill effect. It is better to be safe session of the board of supervisors.

There was quite a railro sear the Dowell factory Saturday afternoon. A train of logs on the side track started down grade and struck a freight train going north, as they were passing the switch, demolishing two box carn and one flat. A brakeman was considerably shaken up and bruised as the trains came together out not seriously injured.

The Laur Bros. are shipping two carloads of apples from Gaylord to Cincinnati this week, This is the 💠 first car load shipment of apples ever made from Gaylord and marks a new epoch in our history. The tables have turned. Instead of importing, Otsego County is getting a reputation for apples as well as potatoes. This is a auggestion for the farmers.--Gaylord Herald.

The postoflice department has issued the following order to postmasters: No postmaster is premitted to rent a lock box to any patron that will not keep it locked. You are directed to inform all box renters who are in locked, that, unless their boxes unless their boxes are kept locked hereafter, such boxes will be closed against the renters and the rent said therefore for failth. the habit of leaving their boxes unrent paid therefore forfeited.

The crop report just issued shows that the percentage of northern Michigan are considerably better than those of the other sections in most things. The condition of corn for instance, compared with an average, shows the central and southern portions at 77, while the northern counties are 81. On potatoes the condition here is 83 as compared with 70 and 78 in the other sections. On the estiouthern counties ars a tie.

Mrs. Frank Freeland has just re urned from Detroit, where she wen to attend the wedding of her only son Jesse E. Schoonover, of Detroit/ and Miss Cora Goodal, of Lapeer, the wedding ceremony being performed by Rev. D. L. Sutherland, pastor of the Calvery Church. It was a happy gathering and many costly presents and an abundance of rice. The happy pair will be at home to their many friends after Sept. 15th at the Watspring calves(3 steers and 2 heifers) kins Pony farm of Binningham. Oakland Co., Mich.

John W. McGraw, of Bay City, is clearing land for a big sheep ranch north of Standish, in Oscoda county, where he owns a large tract of land. and their best girls took the train He has a portable saw mill working up the timber which yields about Gladwin. As our "Old Man" was in 50,000 to 100,000 feet of pine and other several thousand acres. He will stock Capt. Henry Funck of South Branch it as soon as fenced and buildings for who planted the first fruit in this ranch sheds, etc., are erected-with fine sheep from Wyoming, which are best to withstand our cold winters, and will be mostly Shropshires-De troit Times.

> Candidates for the Republican non ination for governor are geting num-Gov. Warner's friends are hustling him for a possible third term, while numerous persons are trying to induce candidate on the strength of his po sition in the matter of the taxation of express, telegraph and telephone com panies. Probably the constitutional convention and special session of the

Died-Sunday, Sept. 15, in this village, Mrs. Johanna Hanson, aged 86 years. Mrs. Hauson was born in West Kipping, Denmark, in 1821, and came to this country in September, 1880. She leaves two sons, John Hanson and Rasmus Hanson, and three tera. Mrs. Bav. of Lev Mrs. Anna Johnson and Mrs. Mary Rasmusson, and a host of friends to mourn her loss. Funeral services were held yesterday at the Danish Lutheran Church of which the deceased was an ardent member. Th ing department was completely de- large attendance and profuse fioral decorations showed the high esteen of her relatives and friends. She is at rest in Elmwood cemetery,

> The state fair closed with the fire works exhibition Friday night, and when dawn broke next morning noth ing could have appeared more dilapi dated than the spot where the tenter city stood so proudly yesterday. . All premiums were paid by 1 o'clock The largest amount collected by one exhibtor was rewarded the Michigan Premium Stock Farm of Davisburg which carried away cattle prizes amounting to \$523 and sheep awards of over \$70. Barring a little bad weather, which cut down the attendance somewhat, this years fair has been a decided success, unmarred by serious accidents and untroubled by disorder.

Miss Bessie Ayers, sister of Frank Ayers, M. C. engineer, who has residvisiting in Flint the first part of Auboth bitten by a dog which proved to be infected with Rables, after which no treatment. It is hoped there will

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## INSURED HAS BIGHTS

QUARD FOR POLICY HOLDER DE-CLARED BY COURT.

Decision is that He Can Reselve Contract if Frank Is Shown Train Rune Into Termade

The Appellate division of the Supreme Court, sitting at Saratoga, N. Y., has banded down a most important decision. The effect of the decision is that where an insurance company is guilty of fraud on a policy holder at the inception of the contract, the policy holder, on discovering the fraud, can rescind the contract and recover all the premiums paid, with interest, and the defrauding company must stand the loss that ensues from its wrong-The case at issue was that of Moore, a lawyer and editor of the Elmira Telegram, against the Mutual Reerve Life Insurance Company of New York: The case was tried in Elmira before Justice Lyon in May, 1900. Justic found that the frond alleged had committed by the false statements made to Mr. Moore personally at the New York office, declared that the policy should be rescinded, but charged the plaintiff with the cost of the company for carrying the life insurance for fourteen years gave to plaintiff damages of only Mr. Moore at once took an anneal. ore at once tool asking that Justice Lyon's decision modified by giving him judgment for \$3,-630, the amount he had paid as premiums with interest, and as modified the judg ment be affirmed. The insurance company to took an appeal, asking that the entire cision by Justice Lyon be reversed. The decision establishes a precedent in this line of cases, and it is probable that it will be carried to the Court of Appeals. However, in that event, the insurance company will have to give a bond.

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FLYER HITS TORNADO.

Beef of Car Is Torn Of-Passen-

gers in Panie,
The fast Reading express for Poltsville a remarkable experience near Reading, Pa. When going fifty miles an hour it ran into a torando, which tore off the roof on one car and caused a panic among the passengers. When the train struck whirlwind the shock was so percepti ble that many thought the emergency brakes had been applied. Just before the train rushed into the funnel shaped cloud. It became as dark as night and rain fell in torrents. The roof was carried away in the cloud.

Gives Up for This Year. Walter Wellman has been forced by adverse winds to abandon his daring plan to reach the north pole by the use of a huge airship. After two years of preparation and the expenditure of a large sum of money his hopes have been disappointed and the apparament has been re ceived that he will give up to will give up the attempt

Weighs 525 and Is Growing. Physicians at the Kings county hos-pital, Brooklyn, N. Y., have there a most remarkable case of elephantiasis. The patient is Mrs. Juliette Felt of Brooklyn. a widow, 63 years old. Before she was attacked by the disease she weighed 140 pounds. She now weighs 525 pounds and is gaining daily in size.

Long-Lost Wreck Found. While lifting his nets off Van Zuren Point in Lake Erie, Gus Ormsby, a fisher man, discovered the wreck of the pro-peller Dean Richmond, which was lost with all on board in a storm in October, 1803. The Dean Richmond carried a cargo of lead and copper ore valued at

Three-Minnie Dintheria Cure. Announcement of the discovery of an antitoxin that will kill diphtheria germa in the living human organism within State university by Prof. Blylie, physic logical chemiat, as the result of an exhaustive technical and intricate series of

Season's Fatalities in Alps The toll of summer victims of Alpine accidents is the heaviest ever recorded. Eighty persons were killed and twentytwo injured in ninety accidents this year as against the previous record, seventy-six Estallities in 1906 in seventy-one accidenta.

Twenty-Five Persons Killed. Twenty-five persons were killed and earsion train on the Boston and Maine Railroad near Cannan, N. H., the result of a blunder by a telegraph operator.

Affied Army Makes Sudden Move. The allied Franco-Spanish army mad dden and successful move on Tad-Morocco, where the Monra were maned in force. The camp of the latter the enemy was put to flight, leaving many the field. The French lost on man killed and six men wounded.

Care, in Race, Hit Bungy.

PUPILS SHOW DEPRCTS

That about one-third of all the school

children in the United States, or about 12,000,000 boys and girls, are behind their proper grades because of physica defects that could be remedied is the gist of a report made by a committee of pro-inent educators, headed by Charles Burlingham, formerly of the board of ed-ucation of New York City. This com-mittee has investigated conditions among achool children, not only in New York, but in Boaton, Chicago and other cities. "Based on the physical defects and home conditions of 1,400 achool children of New York City," says the feport, "it is asti-mated that 12,000,000 of the children of the United States have physical defects more or less serious, which should receive sttention from parents and physician If the percentages recorded by the board of health in New York should be maintained throughout the country, and it seems likely that they would be, as adenoids and impaired vision, mainutrition and defective breathing are found in rural as well as urban schools, there must be as well as urban schools, there must b 1,440,000 ill-nourlahed children, 5,615,00 with enlarged glands and 0,025,000 with defective breathing in the United States. In New York City the estimated figures ire; Mainutrition, 48,000; enlarged inde, 187,000, and defective breathing. 230,800—a total of 465,800,"

MANY CHILDREN ARE APPLICTED Epidemie of Infantile Paralysis

Spreads in New York City.

The epidemic of infantile paralysis in
New York City is assuming alarming proportions, according to the reports o ospital physicians who have the diseas servation in the hope of discover ng the germ which is supposed to be re sponsible for the infection. There are now under treatment in various hospitals between 300 and 400 children who have the disease well developed and most of them will be hopeless cripples for the res of their lives. The hunt of the infantile paralysis germ, led by Dr. J. F. Terri-berry, chief neurologist of the hospital for ruptured and crippled staff, began several weeks ago when the present epilemic was in its earlier stages, and is sti in progress. But in spite of the fact that several hundred afflicted children have seen examined the trail of the germ is no more clear than it was at first. The present epidemic began about the middle of the summer and has grown steadily. Neuthe summer and has grown steadily. Neurologists say it is probably at its height and that the approach of cooler weather will gradually lessen its ravages.

FINDS LOST CHILD IN CHICAGO

Woman Succeeds in Hunt for Daugh ter After Many Years.
Mrs. James Wicksell of Fairhaven Conn., received news the other day from police of Chicago that her daughter s Eleanor Wicksell, whom she has no seen for more than forty years, is alive in that city. When Eleanor was 2 years old, forty-two years ago. Gustave Wicksell and his wife separated. He took the little girl and went West. Mrs. Wicksell later learned that her husband had died and began a search for her daughter. She obtained trace of her in Rochester and followed it to Chiengo. Being a poor woman, she could not make search in could not person, and wrote to the Chicago police and they helped her. Mrs. Wicksell is either to visit her daughter to have Miss Wicksell journey to Fair haven.

TRACK WALKER RUN DOWN. Gives Life to Save Those Abourd

Chicago Limited. Francesco Levita, a track walker of the Pennsylvania railroad, gave his life to save those of several score of passenger on the Chicago limited the other nigh on the Chicago limited the other night and brought to the notice of the railron the fact that train wreckers, who terror ized the road in the spring, are at work again. Levita discovered that the spikes and fishplates of a section of the track at Ards Pa had been removed. He knee that the express was almost due. Will the tools he carried Levita drove the spikes again and replaced the fishplates Just as the was putting the last bolt in the last plate the express rounded the curve. So intent was he on his work that he did not notice it and the engine three

SEE DANGER OF COAL FAMINE Pennsylvania Operators

the hospital.

Shortage Before Mid-Winter. Operators say that the coal situation i growing serious throughout Pennsylvania, and it is freely predicted that before The supply of water has aiready become a serious problem in the anthra-cite region. The Reading company is compelled to send between thirty-five and forty tank care of water to its collierie daily to keep them in operation. Both anthracite and bituminous operators are anthracite and bituminous operators are selling coal from stored stocks to supply the demand.

Mother Loses Life in Valn. Two little sons of August Pumpke Jubuque, Iowa, played with matches du ng the absence of their mother and se fire to their clothing. The mother re-turned to find them in flames, and was fatally hurned trying to save them. The children died soon after the fire was later. The house was destroyed.

\$100,000 of Taxes Is Stolen A \$100,000 shortage was discovered I the accounts of the State tax commission er in New Orleans. er in New Orleans. The police are searching for Charles E. Letten, chief clerk of State Collector Fitspatrick, who is charged with the defalcation. This is the third defalcation in six months in the State tax department.

Great Swindler Goes Crazy. Louis A. Gourdain of Chicago, who duped half a million people in years and whose operations netted him nearly \$5,000,000, became a raving maniac in the government prison at Atlanta Ga. He has been removed to the govern-ment asylum for the insane in Washing-

Revelation has been made that the big tock firm of E. B. Havens & Co. of New York was wrecked by a large loss charged to the account of a woman who denies

that she ever speculated or authorized Blm Copper Blines to Close. The Amalgamated Copper Company will close its big mines at Butte, throwing 10,000 men out of work. This action which is caused by overstock of metal has demoralized stocks.

Find Underland Baces. Wisse racing down Second street in Laces and fewels worth several thoughtons. Minn., two automobiles collided with a bugy in which were Dr. and Mrs. Bales. Mrs. Holden was perhaps fatalistic and Dr. Holden was injured bally, were confiscated by customs officials. Laces and lewels worth several then

BANDITS LOOT TRAIN

RIFLE MAILS OF THE GREAT NORTHERN'S LIMITED.

> Hold-up at Rexford, Mont., Latest of Repeated Attempts to Rob Trains -Indiana Make Gold Discovers In Alaska.

Two masked handits early Thursday held up and robbed the Great Northern's Oriental Limited train six or seven miles west of Rexford, Mont. They found the regular through safe empty and stole a quantity of registered mail. This is the latest of repeated efforts to loot the Great Northern trains of large sums, and recalls the fact that about two years ago two train robbers, after serving sentences in prison, tried to blackmall the company out of \$50,000 by threats to blow up trains. Heavy charges of dynamite were found under several bridges after the threats were made. In the holdup Thursday morning the robbers crawled over the tender and at the point of their guns commanded the engineer to ston the train. Then they ordered the engineer to go back with them to the express car, and instructed him to tell the express messen instructed him to tell the express messenger, mail clerk and baggage man to go
back into the coaches. While this was
being done the robbers kept up a continual fusillade with their guns to terrify
the passengers and keep them within the
coaches. After the messenger, baggage
man and mail clerk had left their care,
the voltage messengers had been the coaches. the robbers went through the mail cars and robbed the sacks of a large quantity of registered mail. Then they went into an express car which carried an overflow of mail, baggage and express and contained a regular through safe. they attempted to blow open. After ex-ploding three charges, the safe was open-ed and it was found to be empty. The robbers did not enter the regular express car in which the messenger had been rid On finding the safe empty the highwaymen helped themselves to the regis tered mail, and after firing a parting volley, disappeared.

CHICAGO MAN LOSES SAVINGS.

Phieves Torture Him in Home and Get Seven Hundred Dollars. Two masked robbers invaded the home of Isone Chaley, 50 years old, 562 Sangamon street, Chicago, tortured the man until he revealed the hiding place of his valuables, and then escaped with \$700, the savings of a lifetime. Chaley, after he had been kicked and beaten, visited the police station and told of his loss. The victim of the robbery was badly injured and almost crazed with grief over the los of his property. Chairy said that he was awakened by a noise and saw a man crawling through a window of the room in which he slept. A second man follow-ed and both seized him before he could make an outery. They pointed revolvers at him and demanded his money. When he declared he had no valuables they selsed him by the throat and dragged him from the bed. They continued to beat him and threaten to burn him. One of them held a lighted match to Chaley's bare foot and then Chaley revealed the streaming down his face Chaley watched the robbers rip open a mattress and se-cure the money, \$225 in gold and silver and \$475 in bills, which he had concealed. When he pleaded with the men to leave him an amount to pay his rent, which was overdue, they struck him in the face and laughed at him as they escaped

FIND RICH VEIN OF GOLD.

dike Fever Breaks Out Again. The Klondike gold fever has broken out new at Sitka, Alaska, according to Brig. Gen. George F. Elliott, commandant of the United States marine corps, who has just returned from a trip of inspection in the Northwest. Gen. Elliott says a rich vein of quartz has recently been un overed on an island forty-five miles from itka which yields a heavy percentage of leaf gold. The story of the discovery, as told to Gen. Elliott, is that two Indians while fishing noticed particles of gold. They told the news to a Presbyterian cler gyman at Sitka. A company opened the vein and succeeded in mining and trans-porting to Sitka in cances alnety tons of ore. This one shipment yielded after payment of freight more than \$16,000. The knowledge of the find soon spread. and the island now is practically all staked out by gold seekers.

TO CURTAIL FEDERAL POWER

Judges from Enjoining States.

Because of the restraining order grant-by Judge Munger of the federal court in Lincoln. Neb., to prevent the railway commission from promulgating a new grain-rate schedule, Gov. George L. Shel-don has declared himself in favor of s constitutional amendment taking from federal courts the right to enjoin State officials from enforcement of State laws. "I believe the federal courts have abused the privilege of the injunction enough to justify such action," he said. "Too many State laws have been tied up by the in terference of the federal courts. I do not believe the makers of the constitution ever-contemplated such use of the injunction in the hands of the federal courts."

TRIP TO NORTH A SUCCESS.

fember of Mikkelsen Party Reports Progress in Exploration. Prof. Steffanson of Mikkelsen's party halled the steamer Koyukuk at For Yukon on Sept. 3. Steffanson said h was carrying dispatches. He reports that was carrying dispatenes. He reports that the members of the Mikkelsen party made the trip north over the ice and were suc-cessful. They encountered many hard-ships during the trip from Herschel Isl-and and up the Mackensie river and down the Porcupine. He reports the party all well and safe.

Street-Car Riot in Frise A serious riot took place early Wed-nesday morning at Twenty-fourth and Utah streets, San Francisco. A number f employes, while running a car of the United Railroads into the barn at this point, were attacked. During the fight five carmen were wounded, one of them t is believed, fatally.

Southwest Limited in Wreck. Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul pas-senger train No. 12, the Southwest lim-ited, was decailed at North Junction, Mo., resulting in serious injury to Engineer Parish and Fireman Huber. None of the passengers was injured. The train was delayed four hours.

Lucitania Makes New Record. The his liner Lushtania reached New York, making a new record from Queens own, but falling to wrest first place in icean racing from the Deutschland.

ATTACK ON ORIENTALE,

ouver Meb Wrecks Guarters o A special from Vanneouver, B. C.

says: Following a riot Saturday even ing in Vancouver, in which Chinatown and the Japanese quarters were raided and damage done approximating \$15. 000, a further demonstration occurred later in which Kichl Yiro Ishil, chief of the bureau of foreign commerce and head of the Jananese consular service and Consul Saburo Hisamidsu of Seat tle were the central figures and in which riot a number of people were bruised and injured by broken bottles and fiving brickbats in the hands of a frensled moti. Baron Ishli and Copsu Hisomidsu finally made their escape through the mob and the affair was immediately cabled to Tokio.

Coincident with the riot was the ar rival of a steamship having on board at least 500 Japanese. With a common impulse the mob surged to the water front and as soon as the Jananese ame down the gang plank, they were met by the rioters. Seven or eight of the Japanese were unceremoniously picked up and thrown into the Burrard

Still further rioting occurred when a crowd of about 4.000 laborers started on the warpath, but were finally quelled by the police after about twenty ar ad been made. Chinatown was roped off and the quarters of the orien tals guarded by the police, Baron Ishii gave out an interview, in which he stated that he had cabled to Ambana dor Kaneko at London, apprising him of the stirring events.

Indemnity from the city to the amount of \$25,000 will be claimed. Mayor Bethune declared the indemnity will not be paid, and the affair will be taken up with the dominion government

Saturday night's rioting was the worst in the history of Western Canada. International complications are

ALPS CLAIM 17 VICTIMS.

High Temperatures in Switzerland

Make Climbing Hasardens.
Seventeen deaths and thirty injured make the casualty roll of the Alps thus far in the mountain climbing season of this year. The mountain guides expec this number to be largely increased be-fore the season ends, for the heat now prevailing in Switserland and the recent earthquake epidemic have combined to make climbing specially hazardous. Ava-lanches are continually forming and falling in the most unexpected places, owing to the intensely hot weather.

The Simplon, always noted for the se

rious avalanches falling from the Glet schorn glaciers, was early in July the scene of an immense fall of snow and scene of an immense ran or snow and rock, owing to the bursting of a glacier lake on the Bodmer, caused by the heat. A somewhat similar fall swept down the St. Gothard line near Lucerne.

On the St. Bernard avalanches have been frequent during the past fortnight, and the dogs have been busily engaged in seeking travelers who have been whelmed by snowfalls. Last week three Italians were swept away on the Swiss side of the pass. Their bodies have not been found and may not be seen again for years.

Scarcely less dangerous are the wonder ful ice avalanches or "eislawinen," which are among the wonders and perils of the Jungtrau, the Matterborn, the Piz Bernina and the Aiguille des Charmoy.

These marvelous falls of glittering, gleaming ice consist of thousands of spar-kling tons of shattered and twisted seraes or ice needles, which have fallen from the glaciers and been precipitated down the mountain by the heat of the sun and the action of the weather. The huge falls or cataracts of ice are a terrible danger for the climber without a guide Who rashly ventures into their vicinity after sunrise.

2-CENT FARE LAW NULLIFIED. Pennsylvania Judges Declare Status

Unconstitutional.

Judges Willson and Audenried, in Common Pleas Court at Philadelphia, declar-ed unconstitutional the 2-cent railroad fare law passed by the last Legislature. The case on which the decision was made will be at once taken to the State Supreme Court.

Legislature as a result of agitation during the last political campaign, all parplaced at 33. ties pledging themselves in favor of it. The railroads, led by the Pennsylvania and Reading, made a strong fight against the law, but both branches of the Legislature passed the bill by practically an unanimous vote. The law was to go into effect Oct. 1.

The Penusylvania was the first to attack the law. The contention of the com-pany was that the 2-cent rate was fixed without any investigation as to whether the railroads could make a fair profit under the law, which the company asserts it cannot do. All other railroads operating in Penns

aylvania have brought similar proceedings but it is generally understood the Pennsylvania's suit will be made the test cas

Packers Reject Poace Plan In connection with the strike of the wagon drivers in New York City a com-mittee representing the drivers called upon George Moyan, counsel for the Em-ployers' Association, submitting an offer for a settlement of the strike, but Mr. Moyan refused to consider negotiations

Brief News Items A Portuguese stowaway aboard the steamer Huelva, told than be would be deported on reaching New York, dropped overboard at Sandy Hook, taking the life buoy with him. It is believed he lived

to swim to shore.

The Slove, published at St. Petersburg, printed a rumor that an understanding William and President Roosevelt in regard to the protection of the Atlantic ast during the absence of the Atlantic fleet in the Pacific.

The Kansas board of railway commis-sioners ordered all roads in the State to put in a flat 2-cent fare rate, beginning

A bitter fight is on between the United States Steel Corporation and the Pennsylvania caliroad and it is said the latter may withdraw its contract for 147,000 tons of steel rails.

Henry H. Rozers and Charles Pratt of New York, as defendants, were given a verdict in Boston in the \$50,000,000 suit brought by Cadwallader M. Raymond of Somerville for rayalties alleged to be due for the use of a process for rendering petroleum and its products non-explosive.

MARCH OF THE G. A. R.

VETERANS PARADE THROUGH BARATOGA N. Y.

Cav. Huches and Nations) Officers Lond Line Through Blaze of National | Cologs and Then Review Hanks-Fing Draped Grant's Bler

Martial music, the old war-time tunes o which the soldlers of the Civil War id marched in many campaigns, awakened Saratoga at an early hour Wednesday—the day of the parade of the veterans who attended the national encampment of the Grand, Army of the Republic. It was expected that 15,000 paraders would be in line and the eather, which was unfavorable in the early morning, gave promise of brightening before the hour scheduled for the start.

Significant of the failing strength of the veterans was the fact that the parading distance was reduced to one mile—the shortest ever fixed for the national encomment. For the first time the parade was limited to members of the Grand Army lustend of being open to all survivors of the war.

The national colors covered the fronts of buildings, were festooned at every convenient point, strung in rows at short intervals across the streets and completely covered the interior of the great convention hall, where the sessions of the encampment were held.

Fing Recalls Gen, Grant. One of the features of the parade was the presence of a big ting which covered the body of Gen. Grant on its way from Mount McGregor to the tomb. In cus tody of the grenadier guard, commanded by Col. F. M. Sterrett of St. Louis of which every man was over six feet tall and each representing one of the forty-five departments of the G. A. R., this old flag brought up the extreme rear, escorted by the whole narade and being carried at last along the whole line of review.

As planned, the national officers in

cowinges with Gov. Charles E. Hughes led the line, the chief of staff in command being J. Cary Winans of Toledo. The department of New York State, al though entitled by seniority to fifth place, selected as hosts the left of the line, which included a representation of every department, including Alaska, and of every branch of the service. The parade was reviewed by Gov. Hughes and the national officers of the G.A.R.

The day's program began with a reception at Congress hall, the New York State headquarters, in honor of Gov. Hughes at 11:30 a. m. At 12:30 luncheon was served by the department of New York to the Governor, Commander in Chief Robert B. Brown and his staff, past national officers, department conmanders and the other distinguished guests. Meanwhile there had been reunions of the various organizations.

The real business of the convention began Thursday with the annual address of Commander Brown, reports of officers and committees and election

VACATIONISTS IMPORT TYPHOID

Physicians Declare Them Responsible for Sprending Disease.

If Chicago people had stayed at home during their vacations this summer and drank good lake water, the health de-partment would not be coping with nearly 200 cases of typhoid, as is the case at present. This is the conclusion of the health officers, who have made an exhaustive investigation of the situation. They wondered what was causing so much ty phoid, as the city itself is healthy enough Calling for facts from attending physicinns, the guardians of Chicago's sanitary welfare found that 51.0 per cent of the total number of typhoid were contracted outside the city. This figuring was made on the basis of known cases. There may be many other cases in the city for all the Board of Health knows, as a number of otherwise careful doctors have a habit of keeping the news to themselves when they are treating a disease which should be reported to the department. The numreme Court.

The 2-cent fare law was enacted by the the outside vacation habit is much larger

> placed at 33.
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> The "benutiful sparkling spring water" which many a resort prospectus tells about is good enough to awim in, but the Chicago leatht department would advise the seeker after country joys to take along a cask of the real thing taken from Lake Michigan for drinking purposes. The doctors think some way that a man is more ant to take typhoid when traveling then at home attending to his busi ness. They do not wish to be under as "knocking" on the vacation habit, of ourse. They merely want to warn nec ple so that vacations may be taken an intelligent basis.

Cityward Trend of Negroe In the concluding justallment of Ray Staunard Baker's series on the color line in the American Magazine, an explana tion is given why the negroes of the Bouth are drifting so rapidly to the cities. It is that they feel the lack of schooling for their children in the country and the lack of police protection. The difficulty of keeping a supply of good labor is caus-ing the owners of the big plantations to sell off small farms to the more thrifty

It is announced from Washington that have reached a decision to name one of the two 20,000 ton battleships authorized by the last session of Congress the New York. The armored cruiser now bearing that name will be rechristened Saratoga to perpetuate the name in the navy of the historic old vessel with that title, which has been condemned and is about to be broken up. The other of the two giant battleships authorized has been named Delaware.

Told in a Few Lines.

Mrs. W. B. Turner of Kansas City sued Hahnemann Medical College of that city for \$10,000 damages, charging that it bad wrongfully obtained the body of her late husband for dissection and had lost

The failure of the Boice Grogan Lumber Company at Lexington, Ky., has brought about the failure of four other smaller lumber companies. The companics involved are: Clearfield Lumber Company of Clearfield, the Fincastle Lumber Company, Tuthid & Patterson Manufacturing Company and the Cypress

STEAMSHIP'S FAST TRIP.

Lucitania Crossa the Atlantic in Bir Days and 54 Minutes. After a spectacular ocean race

against time, which held the attention of the world for five days, the Lucitaula reached Sandy Hook lightship. The glant turbine liner of the Cunard Line made the voyage from Queen town in 5 days 54 minutes.

The Lugitania best the best time ever made by her sister ship of the Cunard Line, the Lucania-five days, seven hours and twenty-three minutes -by over six hours, but was thirtyave minutes belied the time set by the Hamburg-American liner, Deutschland. Sixty-one years ago the little steamship Europa of the Cunard Line, with old-fashioned engines, crossed the Atlantic from Liverpool to New York in eleven days and three hours, breaking the world's record at that time. Then began the contest for supremacy of the sen which led to the building of the fleet Lucitania

The Lucania's record of five days, seven hours and twenty-five minutes. made from Queenstown to New York in 1801, was at an average speed of 21.81 knots over a course of 2,779

Then the North German Lloyd and American lines began to battle for the western record from Southampton to New York, which was held between 1803 and 1806, by the steamships Paris New York and St. Paul of the American Line. The St. Paul in 1890 made the voyage in six days and thirty-one

Then the North German Lloyd Com pasy put over the Kalser Wilhelm der Grosse, and the new vessel in 1807 became the marine wonder of the world when It hung up a record of five days, twenty-two hours and thirty-five min-utes from Southampton to New York. The hig Kniger eregted a new record in 1899, when it steamed from Cher-

bourg to New York, a distance of 3,050 miles, in five days, eighteen bours and fifteen minutes. This record was lowered in the same year by the Kaiser to five days, seventeen hours and thirty-seven minutes.

A CRIMINAL ENIGMA.

Constantine, Alleged Slaver of Mrs. Gentry, Soon to Be Tried. The authorities of Cook county, Illinois, must soon deal with a criminal enigma whose crime shocked the whole country and led to the crusade against law-breakers which for the time being almost freed ers which for the time being aimost treed Chicago of criminals. This man is Frank J. Constantine, slayer of Mrs. Louise Gentry. The fellow has spent several months in fail and his trial is about to open. It will be one of the hardest fought on record in Cook county, for, though there is little doubt in the public mind that Constantine is the murderer, he will be ably defended and the evidence against him is all circumstantial. The prisoner is of Italian birth and his mother runs grocery store in New York.
Although he admits nothing, the police

assert that they have him positively iden-

tified and that they not only have his own admission of his identity, made when he was arrested in New York, but that he made statements about the crime. Mrs. Gentry was a young woman, married but a year, and lived in a flat where there were other occupants of similar tastes. Her husband was a man of some means and they lived in a refined manner. In the latter part of 1905 a young man named Constantine came to live in the same flat and made the acquaintance of the Gentrys. He spoke of fine tamily connections and conveyed the impression that his people, who, he said, lived in New York, were rich. About 11 o'clock in the forenoon of Jan. 6, 1906, Mrs. Gentry, fully dressed in street attire, dashed down the stairs from her apartments and rang the bell of a doctor's office on the ground floor, who, upon opening the door, saw her fall to the floor. Her throat was slashed almost from ear to ear and there was blood all about her and trailing down the stairs. She pointed up the stairway in mute testimony that the attack had occurred there. In four minutes she died.

Suspicion at once pointed to Constan-tine because he had disappeared, leaving his hat behind. From that time on for well over a year Frank Constantine was hunted as suspected criminals seldom are hunted, the chase leading through three continents, being participated in and urged on constantly by an aggravated po-

women murders in Chicago.

According to the story Constantine is alleged to have told the New York police to New York: thence to Naples, remaining a month in that city before going to Argentina. South America. After five weeks he returned to Italy, went thence to London, where he remained until he sailed for New York: in January, 1907.

His relatives hid him in New York, but when he was about to a point of the to 52c; ryc, No. 2, 84c to 83c.

Milwaukee—Wheat, No. 2 northern, \$1.04 to \$1.06; corn, No. 3, 63c to 63c; onts, atandard, 51c to 52c; ryc, No. 1, 85c to 90c; barley, standard, 93c to 94c; pork, mess, \$15.50.

Buffalo—Cattle, choice shipping \$2.00 to \$0.85. when he was about to return to Italy he. was cantured on the docks April 2 by an arrest, his composure and alertness when questioning by the police, and his most absolute silence show him as a man of self-composure for beyond what might be expected of a man of his years.

New Hammer-Throwing Champion letic Club defeated John Flannagan at Travers Island in the hammer-throwing contest, and is now the champion of the world. McGrath hurled the hammer 103 feet to Flannagan's 114.

Telegraphic Brevitles.

Capt. Henry Brown, a veteran of the Mexican and Civil wars, and inventor of the bell buoy, as now used at American ports, died at Charleston, S. C., aged 80 years. He served during the '00s under Farragut and Porter.

By utilizing the principle of the farm er's hothod, exposing pipes of ether to the rays of the sun under glass cases, Frank Shuman, a Philadelphia engineer and chemist, claims to be able to turn the sun's raye directly into power, sufficient for commercial uses.

President Roosevelt is considering a invitation to go hear hunting in the cane-brakes of Louisiana immediately after his forthcoming journey down the Mississipp river.

Two true bills have been found against the Southern Railway Company by the Transylvania county grand jury in North Carolina, on account of the alleged danzerous condition of the readbed.

The police of Parls sent to an inflem ary a woman who says she is Misa Amy Root of Rochester, N. Y., and who claims to be a consin of Eliliu Root, iter mind was unbelanced and she would camb sta restaurant taldes and sing and dance.



CHICAGO.

Together with steadiness in production and distribution there is a largely increased volume of payments through the banks and some decline in commercial defaults.

These are encouraging returns in view of the continued scarcity of money, it is also gratifying that there is no evidence of less machinery and hands employed to indicate declining confidence in the hundress entitles. the business outlook.

The government crop report this week though smaller growth than last year caused unusual attention, but with the assured ample supplies to meet require-ments and their enhanced values it is clear that the most probable effect must be beneficial to trade, satisfactory mar-

be cenencial to trace, satisfactory mar-tetings being almost a certainty.

The markets for raw materials disclose no falling off in absorption, and aside from lower copper and minor metals, no change appears in prices of fron and finished products, wool, hides, leather and lumber.

Country merchants attend the markets in the greatest numbers this sation, and their operation in fall and wlater goods add tone to strength in wholesale activity. Retail trade is seasonably good, fall ex-bibits attracting buying which promises

to develop satisfactorily.

The total movement of grain at this port, 12,032,104 bushels, compares with 7,544,777 bushels last week and 8,220,520 bushels a year ago. Receipts of live stock were 280,038 head, against 303,070 head last week, and 302,884 head last year. last week, and 302,854 head hast year. Lumber receipts rose to 63,220,000 feet, against 55,287,000 feet last week and 53,040,000 feet a year ago. Other re-ceipts increased in flour, wheat, oats, 1ye, barley, broom corn, dressed beef, pork, cheese, butter, eggs and cattle, and de-creased in corn, areas, land, week, here creased in corn, seeds, lard, wool, hogs and sheep.

clearings, \$242,951,002, exceed those of corresponding week in 1906 by 18

Failures reported in the Chicago dis-rict numbered 23, against 17 last week and 25 a year ago .- Dun's Review.

NEW YORK.

Fall jobbing trade in dry goods and wearing apparel generally tends toward expansion as the ultimate outcome of eading crops becomes more assured and is evidences increase of higher prices offsetting small yields. From the northwest reports are of orders previously held back now coming forward and there is evidence also of more life in southern trade and of improvement in collections in nove to market in good volum

Business failures in the United States for the week ending Sept. 12 number 172, against 130 last week, 164 in the same week of 1906, 188 in 1905, 167 in 1904 and 170 in 1903. Canadian failures for the week number 22, as against 15 last week and 17 in this week a year ago.— Bradstreet's Report.



Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$4.00 to \$7.30; hogs, prime heavy, \$4.00 to \$6.35; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.00 to \$5.55; wheat, No. 2, 93c to 94c; corn, No. 2, 62c to 63c; cats, standard, 52c to 53c; rye, No. 2, 89c to 90c; hay, timothy, \$14.00 to \$20.00; prairie, \$9.00 to \$15.00; hitter, choice creamery, 21c to \$15.00; butter, choice creamery, 21c to 27c; eggs, fresh, 15c to 20c; potatoes, per bushel, 55c to 62c.

Indianapolis-Cattle, shipping. \$3.00 to \$1.00; hogs, choice heavy, \$4.00 to \$0.45; sheep, common to prime, \$3.00 to \$4.75; whent, No. 2, 90c to 91c; corn, No. 2 white, 50c to 61c; oats, No. 2 white, 46c to 48c.

St. Louis—Cattle. \$4.50 to \$7.10; hogs, \$4.00 to \$0.05; sheep, \$3.00 to \$0.10; wheat, No. 2, 01e to 92e; corn, No. 2, 61e to 92e; corn, No. 2, 61e to 92e; corn, No. 2, 62e to 86e.

Cincinnati—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$5.80; hogs, \$4.00 to \$5.80; hogs, \$4.00 to \$5.00; wheat, No. 2, 02c to 03c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 55c to 05c; cats, No. 2 mixed, 50c to 51c; rye, No. 2, 84c to 85c. Detroit—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$0.00; hogs, \$4.00 to \$6.50; hogs, \$4.00 to \$6.75; 64.00 to

wheat, No. 2, 93c to 94c; corn, No. 8 yellow, 67c to 68c; cats, No. 3 whits, 51c to 52c; ryc, No. 2, 84c to 85c.

to \$7.00; sheep, common to good mixed, \$4.00 to \$5.25; lambs, fair to choice, \$5.00 to \$8.10.

New York—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$0.70; hogs, \$4.00 to \$7.00; sheep, \$3.00 to \$5.50; wheat, No. 2 red, \$1.00 to \$1.02; corn, No. 2, 74c to 75c; oats, natural white, 56c to 57c; butter, creamery, 22c to 27c; eggs, western. 17c to 21c.

Toledo-Wheat. No. 2 mixed, 03c to 95c; corn. No. 2 mixed, 05c to 67c; oats. No. 2 mixed, 50c to 51c; rve. No. 2, 70c to 81c; clover seed, prime, \$0.75.

All Around the Globe

The invention of the typowriter has given work to more than 1,000,000 women.

A recent decree of the provisional governor of Cuba provides that civilian resideuts and citizens of Cuba may be com-pelled to appear as witnesses before gen-eral courts martial of the arms. Refusal to so appear will be punished by fine and

luth, has been removed from the State prison at Auburn, N. Y., to the Danneteaching in the prison school until it was discovered he was teaching prison-

Alonzo J. Whiteman, ex-Mayor of Du-

The full administration ticket of the Grand Aerie of Eagles, headed by T. A. Bell of California, was elected at Nor-

A coup in Chinese affairs is expected in an effort to strengthen the central gov-ernment, Yuan' Shih Kai, vicercy of Chill, it is thought, will be made head of the war department.
W. A. Farren, alias N. W. D. Adams.

former cashier of the Formers bank at Clearfield, Iong, closed of embessing the school funes of Faylor, lows, thus wrecking the bank was arrested at Kan-am City, he basing been traced by means of letters he had written his wife

#### MIRROR OF MICHIGAN

FAITHFUL RECOUNTING OF HER LATEST NEWS

GETS AFTER WESTERN UNION.

Mishigan Starts Sults to Porce Com

plicage with State Laws.
Proceedings to compel the Western
Union Telegraph Company to pay the
State of Michigan \$75,000 for its failure to comply with State laws have been nenced by Attorney General Bird. charge is that the telegraph company has for six years ignored the statute of 1901 requiring foreign corporations do-ing business in Michigan to file articles of incorporation and pay a franchise fee. The court is asked to impose the pensity provided for such failure, of \$1,000 per month. Attorney General Bird has also asked the Governor to bring to the attention of the Legislature in special session the question of the taxation of telegraph and telephone companies, which he asserts are escaping their just share of taxation, while paying dividends on large amounts

HIGH POST FOR FARMER'S SON.

Stephan Langton Appointed to Oxford Chair of Archaeology.

Stephan H. Langton, a former Monroe boy, has been elected to the chair of archeology at Oxford university, Eug-land, and will assume his duties on Oct. Mr. Langton completed his work in district school and entered the Mon roe high school in 1888, walking the ten miles to and from his home. After gradu-ating in 1892 he entered the Michigan university, graduating four years later and winning the scholarship given by the Michigan university to Columbia and Union. His work at the eastern colleges was of such standard of excellence tho after a post-graduate course, in which the degree of LL. D. had been carned, he was sent on the important mission to study the rules of the nations of the past.

\$5 AMOUNTS TO \$73.01.

Railroad Superintendent to Receive

enedt of Small Sum A \$5 gold piece deposited in the Meri-den Savings bank of Meriden, Connfifty-five years ago to the account of W. B. Linsley, now superlatendent at Ishpeming of the Peninsula division of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad, has grown to the sum of \$73.01—almost fif-teen times the original amount. Mr. Linsley was seven years of age when the deposit was made for him Sept. 30, 1852. The account was opened by his grandfather. The incident was forgotten whe the young man launched out into the world for himself and it was recalled only a few days ago on the receipt of advice from the bank.

PROSPECT OF BIG BOOM.

New York Company Will Develop

Water Power at Ann Arbor. It is understood that the deal will go through in New York at a meeting of the North American Developing Co., which is bucking the Edison company in that sec-tion, whereby the Deubel mills, flowage rights and power dam in the city of Ypsi-lanti will be transferred to this company. which is linking up a series of dams along the Huron. The plans of the company extend over a wide range, but it will be a matter of a very few years when a cheap, but high power will be furnished and that section will enjoy a great man ufacturing boom.

10,000 ACRES RECLAIMED.

Countles' Drain Betters Land.

The drain commissioners for Van Bumade final settlement for the building of the four-county ditch. The ditch is one of the largest in that section of the Sinte and constructed at a comparatively small This was because of the fact that the dirt was easy to handle. The cost was \$2,500. It is estimated that 10,000 of land which have been entirely heretofore will be put in condition

GUARD AGAINST TYPHOID.

on Part of Public. Renewed efforts are being made by the State health department to awaken the public to the necessity for guarding against typhold fever. The season of the year when typhold rages is now approaching, and as the summer has been dry the probability is that many cases will result. Secretary Shumway in a circular now being sent out says that in many places in the State the disease has not been absent for years. He urges health officers everywhere to pay particular attention to the sanitary conditions in their respective jurisdictions and aid in cleaning up places where the germs of the disease are likely to multiply.

USES FUNDS UNLAWFULLY.

Twenty Per Cent of State Schools

Spent Primary Money Hiegally. It has been found that of the 7,267 school districts of the State, about 20 per cent have used primary funds unlaw fully, paying out the money for other purposes than teachers' wages. Every district that has violated the law in this line been notified that it expected to make the teachers' fund good.

Brenk Deadlock in Ninth. Chairman Frost of the Ninth District Republican committee ended the most ous deadlock in the party's history in Michigan the other afternoon by voting with A. D. Hangham of Albian for the election of his rival, Delos Fall of Calthe third candidate on the "con-con" ticket.

Angry Bull Kills Man. Cant. Joseph Voughtlin, one of Rockland's oldest pioneers and one of the best known men of Ontonagon county, was gored and torn to death by an angry bull.

LOSES LIFE FOR A PRESENT.

Young Man Drowns as a Result of Frank Kramer lost his life for a wed-

ding present. He was in Menominee with his father and then purchased a wedding present for a cousin. On returning to Codar River be forgot to take the present when he went ashore from the heat. Reabsence was attributed by his par ors to his being at the wedding. The next members have the his father went to the beat he head the head in the river d the body in the river.

\$100,000 FIRE AT'SOUTH HAVEN. Avery Beach Hotel and Beven Cot

tages Destroyed by Flames Fire early Wednesday morning destroy ed the Avery Beach hotel in South Haven and eight summer homes in the vicinity. The total loss will be fully \$125,000. The origin of the fire is a mystery. It was discovered in "The Breakers," the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. McKinney. The family how porbline of the Sec. well the family knew nothing of the fire until the roof fell in. Their escape from death was almost miraculous. The flames quickly spread. The Delmar cottage, "The Shanty," the home of F. P. Kaiser of St. Louis; the "Colonial," the "Walton," the "Grey Bird," and "Melrose Terrace" and two smaller places were soon in ruins. The Hotel Avery was in the pathway of the flames and burned quickly. It was a wooden structure. It was closed for the season a week before. It was owned by George B. Kelly of South Haven, George Miller of Detroit and L. S. Parker of Jefferson City, Mo., and cost \$90,000. It will be rebuilt.

Minor State Ites

The Holland Sentinel Publishing Co. of Holland, capital \$10,500, has filed articles of incorporation with the Secretary of

Joseph Beaudoine, aged 40, was killed by a rock thrown at the Mass Mill, Ke-weenaw bay. His body was severed in twafn.

William Hull, formerly of Detroit, general foreman of the erecting room at the Oldsmobile works in Lansing, is dead, aged 33 years.

Adolph Ziefle of Ann Arbor sees to awrence, Kan., to accept the position of assistant in pharmacy and chemistry in the University of Kansas.

Falling three stories to the street Steve Richards, a painter, was instantly killed in front of the Star Clothing Co.'s milding in Grand Rapids.

Edgar A. Davis of Detroit, 42 years old, committed suicide at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. F. Taylor of Hart ford. Conu., by inhaling gas. Mr. Davis was on a visit to his sister. He is surived by a widow and one child.

l'oisoned as a result, it is believed, of enting banapas, two small sons of August Schneffer, Jr., living on a farm on the Greenland road near Ishpeming, are dead, and a daughter and August Schaffer, Sr., grandfather of the children, are Ill.

Mrs. John H. Williams, an aged resident of Quincy, was struck by a rock on the Quincy and Torch Lake railroad near Houghton. She was instantly killed, an engine and three cars passing over her

Joseph Heffernan of Owosso, one of the most popular operators on the Ann Arbor road, died at St. Mary's hospital, Detroit. He recently underwent two operations. Heffernan was 25 years old and leaves a widow and two children, the eldest 3 years old

John Russell, tiving about eight miles east of Leonidas, has two large stacks of wheat that were put up in 1905. He has not yet decided jus how many years he will leave it in the stack, but as the wheat market shows a tendency to rise he

Mrs. Wilhelmina Albrecht, a farmer's wife residing in Grand Haven township, was thrown from a wagon when the team started up. She was injured about the spine, and almost totally paralyzed, dying the next morning. Mrs. Fick, a Chicago woman, who was also in the wagon, had several ribs broken by the fall.

Despondent because of old age and nourning for his wife who died four ears ago, 68-year-old Dudley Merritt, a pioneer Muskegon resident, killed himself n a vacant store on Ottawa street that he had recently rented and intended to refit and make his headquarters for a home bakery. By Merritt's side was an bottle that had contained carbolic

A pail line formed by citizens saved illage of Muir from probable de-James Anderson's jewelry store, and be-fore they could be checked had destroy-ed property to the extent of \$25,000. Most of the requests were for pecuni-the losers are Barnard's harness store ary assistance. The emperor and dwelling, James Anderson, Butler Terril, druggist, and William Sykes, as as frequently happened, the letter ricultural implements.

on the old State road a section of the highway five or six rods in length and varying from fifty to seventy-five feet in width, has disappeared entirely, having sunk out of sight during the night, leaving a deep natural reservoir filled with water. The sink hole has been explored to a depth of sixty feet, but as yet no hottom has been found. No cause is known for the phenomenon.

Hanging by a piece of twine in an nat bin, the body of Mrs. Henry Van Worner of Durand was found by her husband and the woman's sister, who had come in from the country to make her a visit. Mrs. Van Wormer had tied the twine to a spike and then raised her feet from the floor until she strangled. The lead woman was 62 years old. She had poor health for some time and her mind became enfeebled.

In one of the severest electrical and rain storms of the senson, the barns and outbuildings of Michael Dunionn, south of Emmett, were struck by lightning and totally destroyed. The buildings contained his whole year's crops and the loss will

each \$3,500, partially insured.

Terribly burned about the head and hody by a kettle of boiling water which dipped from the grasp of her mother, Luellie Pallent, the 6-year-old daughter of Joseph Pallent, lies in a critical condition at her home in Menominee The

cians believe the injury fatal. Burglars entered the postoffice in Ashmolishing the door. Stamps to the value of \$100 were taken and some loose change Serve a Golf Ball' should have appeared from a drawer in the office.

William Green, the west Owosso receive who ejected an officer from his har clous. It is true that the curving of a one Sunday recently, was fined \$25 when moth ball may sound ridiculous, but it is appeared in court, the charge being can't be expected that the moth-ball reduced to assault and battery.

At a depth of over 1 90 feet the Straslang this and the few as found atrong sort referred to him. Why not take adding a single of the few and his surface of the few and he ago by a number of opens and secure a few valuable leasons township, wast of Mouroe. towardly, west of Monroe.

NAME HOME FOR BURDS

Reservations in Guif of Mexico Main-tained by Auduhon Societies. To make of the unknown inland region of the Gulf of Mexico one great reserve for the birds of the nation is the project which, it is announced, will be immediately undertaken by the National Association of Audubon Societies, says the New York Post. Reports of a daugerous and difficult exploration of the remote sea lales of the coast of Louisiana from the Sabine river to Pass a L'Outre have been received from H. H. Kopman, the ornithologist. who was dispatched by the association several months ago in quest of complete information on this practically unknown territory of the United States As a result it has been decided to add all of the insular tract, if possible, to islands now: maintained by the Audubon workers east of the Mississippi's mouth as undisturbed havens for the bosts of birds looking for breeding

Applications for the right to retain for this purpose such of these islands as are government property will be made by the Audubon asse the Federal authorities in the near future and every effort will be exerted to secure similar rights on islands held Mississippi prompt assistance has alby the government in the acquisition of similar rights from private helders. With the island stretch both east and west of the delts of the Mississippi ac-quired, this country will afford its birds the most extensive and useful breeding reserve in the world.

places

The Kopman explorations, as reported to William Dutcher, president of the association, will prove a valuable addition to geographical, as well as ident and Congress to devise means to ornithological records. Many lalands hurry up the work of canal building, ornithological records. Many islands not named on the official charts have been discovered, and several colonies of been discovered, and several colonies of officers who are in charge of affairs, birds were found whose existence in these particular regions had been predict to be done. The fact that the fleet viously only conjectured. In all, son 22,700 pelicans, terns, black simmers, herons and gulls were found in breeding condition. Although on islands of the present Audubon reserve the birds become so tame that they practically no attention to man, in a reat many of the remote regions jus visited they exhibited signs of feat which showed unmistakably that they were frequently molested even in these inaccessible breeding grounds.

Most curious of all the observations made by the Audubon expedition were the "mudlumps" of the passes of the Mississippi outlet. These welrd Islands rise, sink and reappear elsewhere in an unaccountable manner, and are used by the timid bird flocks very extensively for breeding coionies. They often cover an acre and rise six or eight feet above high-tide level in their shifting processes. The action of gas and oil domes and the effects of sedimentation are variously assigned by scientists as the

causes of these phenomena.

The exploration of this region is alnost the final step in a general survey of the Atlantic coast line of the entire country, which was started at the upper boundary line of Maine some years ago At great expense the National Associa tion of Audubon Societies has now ob tained full and complete information of all the haunts and habits of the birds who frequent the east coast country. One more survey will be made, as soon sa avallable funds warrant it, down to the lower extremlly of the Texas coast. Eventually, the Audubon workers in tend to continue these valuable and productive observations along the entire line of the Pacific coast as thor oughly as they have covered the Atlan

One of the most interesting features of the emperor's visit was the number of petitions which were, so to speak thrown at him during his fortnight's stay. Scarcely once did his malesty drive out from the Hradschin without ways extremely courteous, and when, missed the carriage and fell into the A mile north of the village of Davison road he invariably ordered the coach man to stop while the document was brought to him. The household chancery is now dealing with something more than a hundred petitions thus unceremoniously presented. All of them are carefully investigated, and whenever it is possible something is done for the applicant .- Prague Corre mondence Pall Mall Gazette.

In certain London railway stations the proprietors of the lunch counters have a custom of dating eggs. That is, they mark on the shell of a boiled egg the date on which it was laid. The evident purpose is to reassure doubting customers; the possible result is less comforting.

A party arrived at the station shortly before midnight, and following the habit of all American travelers, made at once for the funch counter. They demanded eggs, and naked that they might have some of that very day

"Sorry, sir," said the clerk. "To day's heggs is all gone, but—" glancing at the clock, which pointed to quarter date, Hi could give you some of tomorrow's."

A Blunder and Some Advice. Billy Bunker: "We are corry that in print as 'How to Curve a Moth Ball.' but your handwriting certainly is atro editor would hang around continuously in order to have little passies of this opens and secure a few valuable lessons Chrysland Plain Dealer.

To Hurry Up Canal Work Many members of Congress who ex pect to be on the committees which will be called upon to make appropriations for the Panania Canal are mal ing arrangements to visit the isthmus before the session begins. They will do this for the purpose of seeing work has been done, what is doing and what is needed to be done. President, it is understood, is to give more space to canal matters in his con ing message than he has done hereto fore, and Congress will need to inform itself on the subject at first hand, in order to act intelligently. The President made a trip to the canal sone last fall, and the result was quickly so in some changes which he made in the working forces at the isthmus, and in legislation which he urged in a special message.

One of the objects of the co visit of congressmen to the lathmus is to devise means to hurry the work forward. As the army is in charge of the construction now, report says tha far more progress is being made than of their coast reservation east of the was done during the civilian regime And there is far less talking by the ways been given the Audubon workers men who are dolog the work. and there is no posing before the camers island territory, but they have found During the administration of the civilit a beavy financial burden to acquire isns the country quickly got familiar with the nictures of Wallace, Stevens shopts and the others, but nobody ou side of the cenel wone knows what the present head of the constructive force looks like and very few know his name. He attends strictly to business, and the newspapers get no chance to

mention him. Still, it may be possible for the pres by strengthening the hands of the arm for the Pacific will have to sail 15,000 miles to reach a point which could be reached in 5,000 if the canal were com pleted is an eleguent reminder that that short-cut ought to be pushed with all possible speed. The country is spending a good deal of money in canal building, but it is willing to spend nore if the additional outlay bring completion a year or two earlier The Panama issue is one of the most interesting questions which will combefore Congress this winter.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Hoping for a Word. Chicago Democrats are hoping, through the medium of the national committee, to smoke out William Jen ings Bryan. Chicago is bidding fo the convention, but it fears that with Bryan in complete control, he will switch the big gathering to some other city for the reason that Chicago is not bubbling over with enthusiasm for the Peerless One.

Ever since Bryan undertook to teach Roger Sullivan his duty us a Demo crat, there has been a growing revolin Illinois against the Nebraskan, Sullivan, it will be recalled, is a member of the national committee, but Bryan claims there is a taint to the title, and hence personally advised him to retire This impertinence brought a tart re-ply, from the effects of which Mr. Bryan has not yet recovered.

But the Democrats of Chicago don't intend this little political duel shall deprive them of the honor they seek They have invoked the aid of Fall's friends to help them out, and as the program is designed to place Bryan on record, mutual advantage will be derived. The Missouri governor has a little bee buzzing in his bonnet. He knows he won't cut much of a figure if Brynn tries to be the whole show. while should the latter eliminate him self, the Polk boom might assume dimensions. Several members of the national committee are friendly to Folk. and if these can be lined up for Chicago, It is thought Revan will be pelled to announce his position.

The most remarkable evidence weakness of the Democratic party is this confession that before anything can be accomplished Bryan must be consulted. Even as courageous a man as Watterson admits that Bryan, the man who has done more than any other Democrat to disrunt the Democratic party, can and probably will, dominate the next national convention Vet hor quickly life could be galvanized into that party were Bryan to announce his retirement!-Toledo Blade.

Wouldn't It He Better.
The constitution of the United States wisely provides that all meas ures for the raising of revenue shall originate in the House of Representatives. This is because the House of Representatives is supposed to be closer to the people than any other body. Almost without exception our experience has shown that when matters like this are left to the State Department the United States gets the worst of it Wouldn't it be better to adhere strictly to the spirit as well as to the letter of the constitution and let Congress pass on all these matters?-Cedar Raplds Republican.

Tariff Reduction by Treaty. The goods imported from Germany are virtually under the new agreemen before twelve-"If you'd not mind the by the German Chambers of Commerce Thus the duty on German goods is less than that exacted upon the products of other countries, which are subject to an ad valorem rate of duty, because the lower the value at which imports are appraised the less the duty. Until we allow France, England and other ountries the same favor it can hardly be called a square deal. The Manufac turers' Association and the stand-par ters object to this agreement with Ger many because it thus reduces the rate of thite in this cound-about way .- Sa

> A new prize of \$10,000 is offered to to for the invention of a dirigible Laibert.

Mr. Bryan and the Republican Po That Mr. Bryan will neek the Dome cratic nomination in 1906, and expects to receive it, is announced by a recognized Bryan spokesman in New York

city. There is nothing surprising about this. It is a logical consequence of political developments in the last three years.

The national Democracy, as far as it has an organized existence, stands for nothing but Bryanism, Mr. Bryan is its only presidential possibility of na-tional dimensions. Unless there is a revolution within the party, either Mr Bryan or some man selected by him will be the Democratic candidate.

What will be his chances of election To all clear-eyed and cool-headed ob servers they now seem better than in 1900, and almost as good as they were in September, 1806, The reason is not that the Democrat

ic party has grown stronger, but that the Republican party has grown weaker So many consolenous Republican leaders have gone so far with Mr Bryan that his candidacy seems a log ical consequence of their campaign. To make the point clear, let us re call how Mr. Hearst, in his campaign for the New York Governorship, justi-fied himself and his doctrines by printing in parallel columns with his own views the inflammatory utterances of several national Republicans. How then, shall the Republican party de feat Mr. Bryan? How save the coun-

try from the disaster of his election? Plainly it can do so only by adopt ing a platform of Republican and American principles, by selecting lead ers whose lives and characters both the ideals through which this na tion has grown great and pro above all others, and by thus bringing the American people to a new birth of hope and faith in their country, its institutions, and themselves.

The outlook is not dark or discouraging. It is necessary only for the Re-publican party to do its duty and at tend to its business. It has a year in which to accomplish a task more difficult but of the same kind as that with which it grappled successfully in 1890.

If the task is begun now with deter mination, and is carried on in faith nothing wavering, we some day shall all look back upon 1906 as we now do upon 1806, and confess that nothing but our own follies put us in fear.— Chicago Inter Ocean.

Prosperity to Stay of Agriculture has returned to Wash ington from the West with good re ports of the ripening crons. The West ern farmers have plenty of money and are soon to have a great deal more since they are getting ready to send to market enormous quantities of grain and other products. Good prices for them are amply assured. So the proc ess by which an abundance of mone is put into circulation is about to begin all over again under favorable condi

The scarcity of money for investmen and speculation in Wall street and oth er financial centers presumably will increase during the next few weeks sluce the moving of the crops will cause the West and South to withdraw their surplus funds to be used in trans actions throughout the regions of ac tual production. The easing process, a often provided by the national treas ary, of preventing a breaking strain by the deposit of government funds in anks in New York and other financial centers will come into play once more But while the big financiers are look ing glum and stocks are sagging on the exchanges the producers of the na tion will be largely increasing their stores of money.

That is prosperity. For the produc ers' money soon flows back to the financial centers from the local banks where It has been deposited or from the cities where it has been expended for supplies. So long as it is not through unprofitable n, the country is trail prosperous. The curbing of the rail roads, which are now required to carry the products of the farms to market at a reasonable charge, is an important element in the present period of prosperity.-Chicago News.

Swing Around the West, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson has returned to Washington from a jour ney that lasted several weeks. The secretary has a story to tell of general prosperity and he is a practical judge of the real article. He reports good times everywhere in the West, with no ymptoms of panic anywhere. Money he is convinced, is moving from West to East. Crops, with few exceptions, are good. The yield of corn promise to be large, and prices are unusually favorable to the farmer. Emigration to the new lands of Western Canada is falling off because the conditions and opportunities at home are more attractive. Secretary of the Interior Garfield also is just back from travels in the Southwest. His view of the situation and prospects is the same, and he finds the great irrigation projects moving along in good shape.

The dwindling of speculative values in Wall street interests the West much less than the bulls and bears imagine. Perhaps the estimate is correct that stocks dealt in by Wall street have de clined \$1,750,000,000 since the beginning of the year, but the values that make up the sum of activities in the West are not shrinking. Lands are not lower; the products of the soil bring excellent prices; the railroads have all the business they can handle: manufacturing shows no falling off and mining grows from year to year. Paper values in Wall street may be unsatisfactory to their chief moninglates, but the fictions they cultivate in water and thuz boards of directors can dispensed with to public advantage. Wall street has been notified to mend its ways, and to divest itself of the Af toe much is used it will run out and idea that W is one pivot of prosperily in the Forced States -- St. Louis Globes l'adiaerrat.

front est pickies or any sour food when nursing the baby.



and chickens.

When milk is quickly cooled the newth of all germ life is checked. The producer cannot control the

England is from Shorthorn cows, so

price, but he should alm to produc

Bear in mind that an application of anure is one of the essentials in a good system of crop rotation.

Don't mofigage the farm in times. You will have to pay the mortgage in hard times, to your lasting re-One little strawberry growers' asso-

ciation in Caliornia last year received 198,000 from their crops covering 650 base. With almost any crop of stock, be

cance there is a season of unp ess, is no resson why all the future will be the same. It is considerable work to set pole for lime beans. A strip of 8-foot func-

ing with well braced and posts it just as good and saves much fabor. The family cat is frequently a great chicken thief unbeknown to everyone

We make it a practice to shoot every

cat that looks crosseyed at a chicken Always feed fattening cattle to the minute as near as possible. To keep them waiting an hour after the regular feeding time causes a loss of

Better knowledge of market condi tions is deserving of far greater atproducers of beef, and more thorough understanding of the demands of the rade is essential to the greatest success in supplying these demands.

Celery likes a strong, deep, loamy coll well manured and well drained Well-rotted stable manure is an excel lent fertilizer, though it may be benon most soils by the addition of 500 to 800 sounds per acre of a co mercial fertilizer containing about 10 per cent of potesh.

M. Kale of North Yakima, Wash has a freak fruit which came as the result of pollenising a peach with the ower of an apricot. The fruit ripens and is some by June 1. It is said to be sweet and of excellent flavor. It is reported that Mr. Kale has refused an offer of \$3,000 for one tree.

Keep the blossoms picked off the pany plants or they will come to bloom. as the production of seed is an end to sowering. Work a small quantity of fertiliser into the soil around each in rejuvenating an orchard is whether plant occesionally, and at the end of or not the trees are worth saving. The the year tries them much with straw. and the old plants can then be used

A daily newspaper in Washington prints as a remedy for nodular disease squandered in foolish speculation or in sheep the following: "Shut them over thirty-six or thirty-seven years old, lost in the heart-breaking process of in a tight room and sumignte them which have long been neglected, are not years, with sulphur smoke, allowing them to worth saving; likewise the cherries which either supply but scanty truits inhale the smoke for fifteen minutes." over twenty, the pear over twenty-two of the soll or provide no remunerative This would undoubtedly kill all the or twenty-three, the plum over afteen certainly kill the sheep themselves.

> Hemp can be easily grown in all sec tions of this country, but the obstacle to the successful cultivation is the labor of preparing it for market. There is a wide field for inventive genius in devising appropriate machinery for specially treating hemp and other filbrous plants which demand more labor in some sections than can be profitably bestored on them.

Ginten meal is that portion of the removed, and it is, therefore, a highly and Epitrimerus pyri. Eriophyes pyri, nitrogenous food. It should be fed in commonly known as the leaf-blister connection with other articles. When mite, is the most abundant and the middlings are used it is best to mix most injurious species. The structure, such foods with cut hay that has been habits and systematic position of these sprinkled, as the unadulterated middlings are liable to cause indigestion, of all American species of the family Bran and linseed meal form an excel- with their host plants and an analytilent combination at all seasons, and promote digestion.

Violations of the twenty-eight-hour live stock law are costing the railroads of the country about \$10,000 a day in fines. These fines have not been collected, however, and the railroad offclais apparently pay no attention to jure the fruits and fruit stems as well the violation of the law, which prohibits the carrying of cattle in cars for more than twenty-eight hours without food, rest or water. They evidently figure that it is cheaper to pay the fines than to obey the law.

Grease or oll the wagons once a week if they are in constant use. Any of the various axle grease mixtures on the market will do for heavy wagons, but parison was made between ker move the wheel and wipe the axis and the latter being prepared according to box clean with old newspaper, then vatious formulas. On account of its with a cloth wet in kerosene, which will take off all old grease and dirt, apply a small quantity of greams or old, parts of water and applied during the gream everything that comes near.

I have bested all the leading varieties past may be controlled by proper prun-of red respheries and find the Leadon ing and by apraying with horosome to take the load in both hardiness and

ductiveness, with the Culbert sec end, says a writer in American Agriculturist. These are both good varieties, good shippers and also good market varieties. We prefer the London as a table berry, also for canning purposes. It also ships well, making a fine appearance in the box, having a deep red color, which does not fade in can ning. Raspherries are good feeders, requiring a liberal amount of plant food and responding readily to good treatment.

The rose is not a natural climber : it can ramble over low abrubs, large bowlders and such things, but when grown about a veranda pillar it must be artificially supported by tying up occasionally as it grows. This is more entisfactory than ignoring it until the and of the growing season. It is them a hard job to straighten out the badly tangled or twisted shoots, and the wind

very long. Never let one shoot grow upright for too long a period or get very far ahead of the others, advises a writer in the Garden Managine. If you do, the strongest or leading shoot will receive the greatest quantity of the sap and the plant, by throwing its strength to the top, will soon become nude at the

Variation in Plant Fo Plant foods vary in composition, and the most fertile farm may lack in some particular element of fertility. Manure that does not contain all the essential elements that tend to recoverate the woll is not in itself complete. It will, of course, enrich the soil, but as the sell does not receive from the manure all that it yielded in the shape of food, no figures are necessary to demonstrate that in the course of time the sale of milk will exhaust the soil of plant foods (mostly of nitrogen), including potest, phosphates and other mineral matter. It is admitted that a grass plot will be largely assisted to nitrogen by the rains (which down ammonia and nitric acid), and with clover (with the aid of bacteria), but these sources do not admit of de-riving the potash and phosphates. The nitrogen so secured is but a small proportion as compared with that daily milk annually leaving some farms beamount of nitrogen, potash and phosing many hundreds of cans. phates sold from farms that provide for large hords can not easily be esti-mated, but suffice it to say that the quantity, though not apparent, is very large, and in the course of a few years the soil must certainly be affected.

In almost any part of our State can be found orchards of advanced age which do not pay, and it is readily seen that something is wrong. The problem of renovating an orchard is sometimes a large ane and often proves to be very expensive. The causes which are responsible for an unprofitable orchard are many and may be briefly stated thus: Unsuitable varieties, poor drainage, unfavorable site, poor soil, neglect, unfavorable climatic conditions and old

Agt. The first and most important point varieties may not be what you desire or too far gone to be responsive to treatment. If the trees are on wet land, cut them down or thoroughly drain the soil, as a fruit tree will never thrive with wet feet. Apple trees In fact, the trees which should not be worked with are those with a high head, partially decayed trunk and in a generally run down condition. If nothing more serious than insects and fungous diseases is present, the orchard may be very economically reclaimed.-Oregon Experiment Station.

Apple and Pear Miter. In a study of the mites on apple and pear trees, five species have been recoguized by the New York station: Erionhyes malifolia, E. pyri, E. pyri corn left over after the starch has been variolate. Phyllocoptes, schlochtendall pests are discussed and a list is given cal table for their identification.

Particular attention is given to R. ovel which produces the well-known blister spots on the leaves of pear and apple trees. On apple trees the blis ters may have a reddish tinge, but us as the leaves, and have been found on 250 varieties of apples. After a little experience the injuries caused by mites may be readily distinguished from those due to spraying or to the apple rust. A parasitic mite was found preying upon the blister mite and is described as a new species under the

name Seins posni. In experiments on apple trees a comfor light buggles and carriages there is oil, miscible oil, kerosene emulsion, nothing better than castor oil. Re- whale-oil sorp and the sulphur washes, harmissaness, cheappess and efficiency, dormant season is recommended as the most practical remedy for the treatment of apple orchards infested with the bilster mits. In pear orchards this

inten in the full or matter.

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#### THE LOVING CUP

By Ida Alexander

The little old dector lay awaiting the return of the big doctor. had been many of those visits at first
three—four—five a day. Now they
had dwindled down to one. There had been no others in the long three weeks, yet he had never before been done since his illness began. The trained nurse had always been at pushed.

He did not exactly like her. He had sent her for a walk, noting with pulck, professional eye, the girl's pale, States. Only a little more than a third cheeks. He knew the case had been of our territory is yet surveyed for the a trying one. At any moment she purposes of the big map, but this is might come back; there was no merely because our land surface, inmight come back; there was no merely because our land surface, inchance of her forgetting one dose of cluding Alaska, is nearly as large as the nauseous medicine. He turned to the whole of Europe. To make as good look at the clock. No, there were yet a map of our domain as that which we 30 minutes, and it was not likely she would return before that time.

He gave himself up to thought, and the thoughts were not pleasant. How easily he had dropped out of the lives of his people! How little it would have mattered if he had left them forever! He had been such a careful shepherd that he had begun to look on the sheep as his own. Well, they

The doctor moved restlessly. Why, even his present illness had been caused by working for others. Five hours he had fought for the life of a little half-drowned baby. When the fight was won and the thanks of the mother still echoed in his ears, he had met Mrs. Davis hurrying in search of him.

It was not such a long walk to the little cottage where wee Pinky Davis lay struggling for his breath, but the night had been cold, bitterly cold. And then—well, even to himself he had never quite acknowledged that the chill which ushered in pneumonia Davis put on his heavy overcoat. Whatever the cause, the effect was only too apparent. It had taken but weeks to undo the work of 30

Something very like a tear was trying to find its way from the little docback, and the voice which answered the nurse's gentle tap was steady. She came in flushed and animated. "I've had the best walk," she said,

"Thank you, if you will be so good,"

answered the doctor. "Why do you ask permission?" "Well, at first you made me take some flowers away. I suppose I ought not to have bothered you with them,

but nearly every one is so pleased to have them. Don't you like flowers?" "Why, yes," said the doctor, "I am very fond of flowers. I-But somehow he could not bring

himself to explain to this matter-of-fact young woman that he had sent them away because none of his people had cared enough for him to bring him any. "Medicine first, then daffo-dils," said the nurse, smilingly.

When she came back with her basket of the flowers the big doctor sat by the bedside.

"Another present for the popular patient?" he asked. "Why, that reminds me I'have a package and a let-ter. I'll get them. I've left them downstairs with my coat."

The little old doctor broke the seal with an apology. He could hardly wait to read the letter. Miss Lydia Dolliver had traced it in her stiff penmanship, of a fashion long gone by. He

"Dear Friend:-This loving cup is sent to you by all of us who lov Davis, who gave something, from Pinky tor parades during national, state and city election campaigns, or upon any Malachi Boone, who gave \$50. Now cannot be danger is past, I'll tell your how we came to get it. We thought sired. The design is very simple and construction of the constru Every one gave something, from Pinky you were going to die. I put my apron over my head and I cried—cried as I haven't cried since-well, no matter, Every one was doing the same. By ones and twos they kent coming over until it was like a party for numbers, and a funeral for faces. Then I told them about flowers. In that way we could show you what we have nover showed you, knowing all the time in my heart that then it would be too late. But when the news came that you were going to live-then I can't tell von. But I think we cried an much as at first. So God bless you. I suppose you knew there were many who d you. But I believe in telling before it is too late."

There was something about the litletter which made the finished the headed adders have been killed in almost as great numbers. Water snakes big new doctor ent the armost as common as blg new doctor cut the string of the pers. the hands which released the letter.

"Come, come!" he said at last, gruf-By, through the catch in his throat. this will not do-will not do! What are these precious neighbors of yours about? Trying to make you worse!

"No." said the other, gently, "they wouldn't try that—and they couldn't this way. I shall be better for it. You'll see." And the doctor, who had much, guessed that it would in-

He carried the picture with him knowing that it was because this mt was the best-beloved. He tithe picture assumed him because

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No country has ever made such rapid progress with its topographic surveys, area for area, as the United can now buy of nearly the whole of Europe we shall have to do nearly as much surveying as all the European powers have done together. Only four of our states Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut and New Jersey have so far been completely mappe but the maps of several other states will soon be finished.

COMING BACK TO HER OWN.

fodern Education at Work in Uplifting Egyptian Women.

The Egyptian woman is coming back into her own after many cen-turies. An Egyptian girl and a Mosiem has just received the degree of B. A. Two thousand years before Christ the Egyptian woman was the head of the house. The women of Egypt are thus beginning to regain the free and honored position which they enjoyed centuries ago. Then woman was the mistress of the house; she inheritted equally with her brothers, and had full control over her property. According to M. Parteret, she was "juridically the equal of man, having the same rights and being treated in the same fashion." She could also bring actions, and even plead in the courts. She practiced the art of medicine, and, as priestess, had authority in the temples. The girl who has just drawn attention to the way in which modern education is invading Egypt probably will not have "And I've brought you a basket of the distinction of being the only daffodils—the darlings! May I bring woman of her country with a college degree very long, as there is a moveon foot to maintain a number of girls in colleges.

#### Hotel's Queer Guest.

A Central American monkey arrived at New Orleans on one of the fruit steamers and was given apartments at the Hotel Grunewald all by himself. Of course, he didn't get the bridal suite, nor even a sample room. A cozy soapbox in the baggage room sufficed for his comfort, and last night Mr. Monkey was still there awaiting

When the baggage man was at the fruit wharf the other day someone handed him a monkey, with instructions to check it to the Hotel Grunewald, where he would claim it. At the hotel the baggage man collected his charges. But no one came to claim the monkey, or to make good the charges paid by the hotel Instead of on and the hotel a white elephant.

#### Stars and Stripes on Gloves

brought out for use on men's fabric stripes" in colors of red, white and blue, according to Men's Wear. The glove with the design on will be used for parades during national, state and easily made, and is used mostly on cheap cotton goods. The glove now sells at retail stores for 15 cents, and with the design on will cost 25 cents. The patriotic sentiment is always in evidence during election periods in this country, and the glove with this design is introduced to be used during the presidential campaign of 1908.

#### Town Overrun by Snakes,

Collinsville, Conn., is overrun with snakes. They are seen in yards, in cellars and in the streets, and daily reports are being made of killing them Large numbers of the ordinary blacknakes have been killed, some of them being more than four feet long. Flat-

The generally accepted explanation for the appearance of the snakes is that lack of rain has caused all the amail mountain streams to dry up, and the snakes have come to town for liquid refreshments.

#### Minnesota Tobacco.

farmers in Minnesota are growing tobacco on a small acreage this year and are realizing good profit from same. In some sections of the "with tobacco and expect to ers of Wabasha have set out 13 acres the platter haunted him because Before the crop is ready to harvest if oo in that section will realise about \$300 per sere, which is a handsome profit for the grower.— United States Tubesto Jesspal. DRIVER TELLS OF STRAIN.

Nervous Teneion of Man at Wheel of

The nervous tension under which the driver of an automobile racer labors has been graphically described by two Vanderblit cup chauffeurs. Clement says: "When you first start, the ground seems to be rising up in front of you, as if to hit you in the face—that is, until you get your auto eyes adjusted. But even then there's always the thrill, and you haven't time for anything but the thrill and the watching of the long, narrow road front. You haven't time to see what is on one side or the other. The per ple-that's about all we had on the sides in the Vanderbilt cup racesinst seem to be a black-and-white hor der to the dark streak in front. Yes; you hear them shout, but by the time you realize it you are gone." And Wagner describes his sensations in Outing as follows: "Beginning the eighth lap nearly eight minutes in the lead, the mental and physical strain became acute. My brain was in a dizzy whirl, and my hunger amounted almost to famine. But the price of satisfying it was prohibitive when every minute counted. The constant crashing and lunging of the car. the vigilance required at the frequent turns, the haunting fear of fatalities, and the anxiety regarding tires and mechanism were so exhausting that we lost over two minutes on the eigth round. Hunger remorseless fanged was gnawing, gnawing, gnawing with almost sinister persistency, as it seemed. So we began the

WAS GIVEN WRONG STEER.

Cleveland Man the Victim of Mean

A Cleveland (Ohio) man was com ing down from Toledo the other day when he noticed a little crowd on a station platform and at once concluded it meant the departure of a bride and groom. The train only stopped for a minute or two but the Cleveland man had time to see a lot of hand-shaking, and then, as the train started, a young fellow on the platform thrust a card through the open window and said, "Say, old man, hand that to the couple who just got aboard, won't you?" The Cleveland man nod ded and the train sped on. He looked at the card. It bore the word "Con-gratulations!" Then he went up the aisle to where the newcomers were seated and smilingly handed the card to the bridegroom. "What's this for?" growled the stranger. "Just married, aren't you?" the Cleveland man chuck-led. "Just married!" roared the stranger. "Just married! Why, you miserable shrimp, me an' my wife here are havin' a spat at this very mo-ment over what we are goin' to do with our 21-year-old son! Just mar-ried! You measily little—" But the Cleveland man had fied. And now he wows he'll never again be made a catspaw for another practical joker.

Two Historic Cabarets.

Two old Sevres cabarets, each with Two old Sevres cabarets, each with an integrating history of its own, will be included in the porcelain sale at Christie's, says a writer in the Pall Mall Garette. The first, painted with festoons of flowers, was formerly the property of Marie Antoinette, and was given by Louise Lefevre, her valet de pled, to George Earl of Essex, and by him to Miss Fannie Kelly, the actress in 1818, from whom it descended to the present owner, who is Miss Relly's adopted daughter. The second, painted with musical and amatory trowhen Prince of Wales to Mrs. Rol inson, the celebrated actress, and at the sale of her husband's effects was purchased by John Graham. In the same sale will be found a Chippendale mahogany bookcase, exquisitely carved, which was formerly at the Kensing ton palace, in the room in which

Clinched.

The insurance agent had exhausted his arts. With tears welling from his eyes and in a voice quivering with emotion he had recited the harrowing tale of widow and orphans in dire distress through the untimely death of their thoughtless protector. But the farmer was unmoved. "Nope, I guess I'll not take any to-day," he said, and reached for his red bandanna. "But." said the wily agent. with every policy goes an almanac a plug of Greenville, a brass watch, an accordeon and a bottle of liver medi cine, besides a brass band to head your funeral procession. "Gosh ding!" came the reply. "Give me one. Noneglected the welfare of his loved

The Kaleer and Mr. Carnegle During the first meeting of Emper or William and Andrew Carnegie on the deck of the Hohensollern at Kiel. versation, Mr. Carnegie, in a candid spirit of banter, said to the emperor "You know, your majesty, that never cared very much for kings never cared very much for Rings
"But there was one king you cared
a great deal for," said the emperor
quickly. "And who was that?" demanded Mr. Carnegie. "Robert Bruce." Tour majorty is very right," laughed Mr. Carnegie. "Robert Bruce is bur-Mr. Carnegie.

An Exhibition Stunt.

"Malipedes are the fourth and fifth pairs of head appendages of chile "What's that to me?" osally like to display a possibly have.

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Whereas, default having been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the fifth day of May, A. D., 1906, executed by William Millikin and Helen Millikin, his wife, to George W. Brott of the township of Beaver Creek: Crawford county Might Millikin and Helen Millikin, his wife, to George W. Brott of the township of Beaver Creek; Crawford county, Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of deeds for Crawford county, Michigan, in liber H, of mortgages on pages 446 and 447, on the 5th day of May, A. D., 1906, at 3 o'clock p. m.

And whereas the amount claimed to be due on and the country of the day o

be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is two hundred dollars (\$200.00) principal, and sixteen dollars and sixty-one cents (\$16.61) interest, and the further sum of twenty-five and the further sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and no suit at law or in chancery having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining unpaid, secured by said mortgage, whereby the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative:

become operative:

Now, therefore: Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statutes in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises therein de-scribed, at public auction to the high-est bidder therefor, at the front door of the court house, in the village of Grayling, Crawfort county, Michigan, (that being the place for holding the circuit court for said county) on the

O. PALMER.

Att'y for Mortgagee.

Business address, Grayling, Mich.



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